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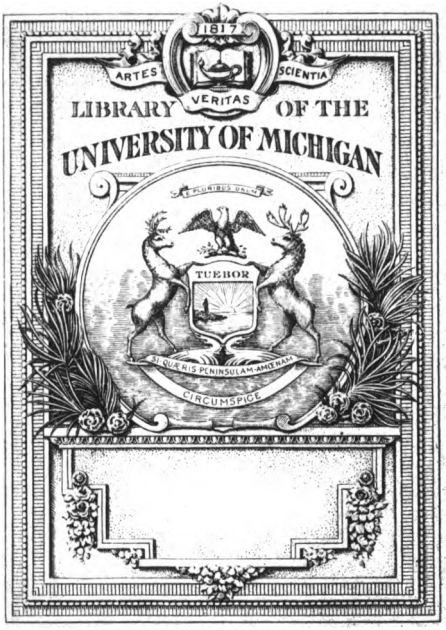

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REPORT.

AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Lansing, Michigan, November 30, 1869.

His Excellency, HENRY P. BALDWIN,
Governor of the State of Michigan:

The Auditor General submits the following report for the fiscal year ending this day:

The total Treasury receipts from all sources during the fiscal year amounted to	[1]$2,116,586 59
To which add balance in the Treasury at close of last fiscal year	1,130,227 15
And there appears, as the amount of funds available during the year	$3,246,813 74
Against which am't warrants have been drawn and charged, amounting to	2,412,724 02
Leaving a balance charged to the State Treasurer at the close of business this day of	$834,089 72

STATE INDEBTEDNESS.

The total bonded debt of the State matured and unmatured, amounted, on the 30th day of Nov., 1868, to	[2]$3,614,078 49
This day it amounts to	[3]3,043,578 49
Showing a reduction since Nov. 30th, 1868, of	$570,500 00

[1] Including $2 52 charged State Treasurer under Joint Resolution No. 25, Laws of 1869.
[2] Of this amount, $42,578 49 being past due bore no interest.
[3] This includes $84,078 49 past matured, on which the interest has been stopped. *Vide* Appendix, p. 4.

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This reduction has been accomplished as follows:

By purchase:	
Two Million Loan, due Jan. 1, 1873	$28,000 00
" " " " " 1, 1878	44,000 00
War Loan, due Jan. 1, 1886	6,000 00
Renewal Loan, due July 1, 1878	8,000 00
Canal Loan, due July 1, 1879	2,000 00
By payment:	
Two Million Loan, due Jan. 1, 1868	3,000 00
War Loan, due Jan. 1, 1886, drawn, and paid from War Loan Sinking Fund	479,500 00
Total as above	$570,500 00

As was shown possible by the Auditor General, in his last annual report,[1] the State debt has, during the fiscal year just closed, been virtually reduced by an amount considerably in excess of one million dollars—virtually—for, though the actual payment thereof, as shown above, amounts to but $570,500 00, yet the funds with which to meet the yet outstanding War Loan Bonds—$596,600 00—are now at hand waiting the presentation of said Bonds for payment. When presented they will be paid and cancelled, and thus the war loan indebtedness will be extinguished. This large reduction in the State debt will be appreciably felt in the supplemental reduction of the annual interest thereon, amounting to upwards of $80,000 00.

By the passage of Joint Resolution No. 7, Laws of 1869, it was made the duty of the Governor, State Treasurer, and Auditor General, to jointly examine into the condition of the Treasury, and to determine the maximum amount of funds that could be used for the purchase of Bonds of this State.

[1] Auditor General's Report, 1868, pp. 8 and 31.

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This resolution was construed[1] as providing for the investment of any surplus over and above the balance to the credit of the Sinking Funds. Under this construction of the intention of the Legislature in the passage of said resolution, the officers therein designated acted at their first meeting on the 26th day of March, 1869. It was there expressed as the opinion of said officers that the amount of funds[2] then in the Treasury, together with the justly anticipated receipts thereto during the year, would warrant the use of $200,000 00 —in excess of the amounts accruing to the Sinking Funds— in the purchase of outstanding Bonds of this State. And

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"EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
Lansing, April 1, 1869.

[1] *To the Senate:*

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The law provides the manner by which the balance to the credit of the Sinking Funds shall be invested. Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 (7) provides for the investment of any surplus over and above the balance to the credit of the Sinking Funds.

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On the 26th of March, ultimo, the State Treasurer proceeded, in pursuance of law, to draw for redemption $300,000 of war loan bonds. In addition to that sum, he has authorized, and hopes to be able to purchase $200,000 of the first maturing bonded indebtedness of the State.

HENRY P. BALDWIN."

"AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Lansing, March 25, 1869.

[2] Statement of the condition of the War Loan and Two Million Loan Sinking Funds this day, as shown by an examination of the books of this office, showing the amount now standing to the credit of said Funds; also, the receipts to the Trust Funds since July 1st, 1868, but which have not yet been credited to the Two Million Loan Sinking Fund:

Balance to credit of Two Million Loan Sinking Fund, Nov. 30, 1868	$75,402 04
Deduct am't expended in purchase of Bonds to date	60,000 00
Balance in said Fund this day	$15,402 04
Balance in War Loan Sinking Fund, Nov. 30, 1868, (same to-day,)	420,038 07
Aggregate credit to Sinking Funds this day	$435,440 11
Add receipts to Trust Funds since July 1st, 1868, not yet transferred to Two Million Loan Sinking Fund	139,595 07
Am't this day in Treasury pledged to the payment of the State debt	$575,035 18"

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the State Treasurer was at the same time advised to draw $300,000 00 of War Bonds to be paid on the first day of July then next. In pursuance of such action[1] the Treasurer proceeded to draw for redemption $300,000 00, as advised, and to authorize the purchase of $200,000 00 of the first maturing bonded indebtedness of the State.

This $200,000 00 not having been used in the purchase of Bonds, it was, at a meeting held on the twenty-sixth day of August last, directed that the said amount be placed to the credit of the War Loan Sinking Fund, to be used as contemplated by said Joint Resolution No. 7. Such a transfer[2] has been made on the books of the Auditor General.

No portion of the debt became due during the year, but the entire reduction[3] has been made by the payment of loans in anticipation of their maturity—partly by the purchase of Bonds voluntarily surrendered by the holders—but more largely through the payment of War Loan Bonds drawn[2] as is provided by the act under which they were issued, but which, though by the terms of said act payable at the pleasure of the State, would not have matured until January 1, 1886. The maturity of the remaining Loans being determined by law, and the time of the redemption thereof not being at the pleasure of the State, they will not be paid until maturity, except at the pleasure of the bond-holders. Hence, the future annual reduction of the State debt is indeterminate. Hence, also, no estimate of the amount by which the State debt will be reduced during the ensuing year, can be made.

It would be possible, however, could the State Bonds be reached by the Treasurer, to reduce the indebtedness, by the use of the funds pledged by law to that purpose, $400,000 00 to $425,000 00, as will appear from the following statement of

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[1] See Note 1, ante. page 5.

[2] Appendix, "N," p. 70.

[3] Except $3,000 past due Two Million Loan Bonds.

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the balance of and probable increment to the Fund through which any reduction must be made:

Balance this day to credit of Two Million Sinking Fund	[1]$119,101 51
Receipts during year, ⅛ mill tax	38,495 73
" from Trust Funds (estimated)	[2]155,000 00
" " Surplus of Interest (estimated)	[3]100,000 00
Giving for am't of funds which may be used in the purchase of Bonds of the State during the ensuing year	$412,597 24

The above statement does not include any computation as to the amount of surplus funds which, under Joint Resolution No. 7, Laws of 1869, might be used in the purchase of Bonds of this State, because, if experience may be relied upon as furnishing an approximate estimate of the power of the State Treasurer to make such purchases, but a portion of the above stated amount will be absorbed in the purchase of such Bonds as he may be able to retire. Hence, the surplus funds of the Treasury, if any, will probably remain untouched.

The War Loan being so far withdrawn as to render certain the aggregate expenditure by the State, both for principal and interest, in carrying and extinguishing this indebtedness, tabular statements of the transactions and changes in said

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[1] Appendix, Statement "L," p. 68.

[2] The Trust Fund receipts will probably exceed this estimate, as during the past year they reached $180,744 42; and have averaged for the last three years, $170,058 29.

[3] This estimate is deemed not too high. The total amount of interest falling due during the year, estimated upon the present amount of the debt, is $164,197 98. The provisions for payment of this interest are, an appropriation from the General Fund of $160,000 00, and from the Specific Tax Fund what remains to the credit thereof after paying the interest upon the Trust Funds. The Specific Tax Fund supplied $108,574 87 for the payment of interest upon the State debt during the year just closed. It will probably supply as large an amount the coming year, which would give for "surplus of interest" an amount larger than that stated in the text.

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Loan for each year, from the issuing of the Bonds to the retirement thereof, are given. The first table[1] shows the face of the Bonds and the amount realized on the sale thereof; the second,[2] the amount of Bonds outstanding on the 30th day of November of each year, also the interest thereon falling due; the amount of Bonds retired and aggregate payments made for interest and principal during each year. Combining the results of these tables with the amount of interest that had accrued on the Bonds prior to the date of sale thereof, the actual expenditures from the legitimate revenue of the State, in retiring the War Loan and paying the current interest thereon, may be determined as follows:

[1]STATEMENT I.

YEAR.	Face of Bonds issued.	Premium.	Discount.	Am't realized on Sale of Bonds.
1861	$449,100 00	$106 87	$22,468 50	$426,738 37
1862	158,200 00	81 88	7,660 06	150,571 82
1863	71,100 00	----------	----------	71,100 00
1864	571,000 00	10,058 00	----------	581,058 00
	$1,249,400 00	$10,196 75	$30,128 56	$1,229,468 19

[2]STATEMENT II.

YEAR.	Bonds outstanding Nov. 30.	Interest falling due each year.	Amount of Bonds retired each year.	Aggregate paym'ts each year.
1861	$449,100 00	----------	----------	----------
1862	607,300 00	$40,687 50	----------	$40,687 50
1863	569,300 00	41,114 50	$109,100 00	150,214 50
1864	1,123,150 00	54,015 50	17,150 00	71,165 50
1865	1,122,400 00	78,540 00	750 00	79,290 00
1866	1,112,600 00	78,172 50	9,800 00	87,972 50
1867	1,100,600 00	77,420 00	12,000 00	89,420 00
1868	1,082,100 00	76,870 00	18,500 00	94,870 00
1869	596,600 00	68,540 40	485,500 00	554,040 40
1870	----------	19,952 98	*596,600 00	*616,552 98
	----------	$534,813 38	$1,249,400 00	$1,784,213 38

* Due January 1, 1870.

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Aggregate payments, principal and interest, as shown above		$1,784,213 33
Discount, as shown above		30,128 56
		$1,814,341 89
Accrued int. on Bonds sold in 1861	$4,338 14	
" " " " 1862	2,578 80	
" " " " 1864	5,258 36	
Premium, as above	10,196 75	
		22,372 05
Giving for total payments from State revenue on account of the War Loan		$1,791,969 84

The retiring of the War Loan has rendered it possible to determine, with a degree of certainty not before attainable, the sufficiency of the present provisions for the payment, at its maturity, of the yet outstanding unmatured portion of the bonded State debt. To reach such a determination, computations—which are exhibited below—have been carefully made, and are presented in the belief that they thoroughly demonstrate the conclusions derived therefrom, viz: That further than the ⅛ mill tax, taxation, for the purpose of paying the bonded State debt as fast as it matures, need not be imposed; that after the levy of 1870 the ⅛ mill tax may be abolished; and that the Trust Fund receipts will be sufficient to pay the installments of the debt as fast as they may become due. The computations are as follows:

Commencing with the balance now to the credit of the Two Million Loan Sinking Fund, amounting to	$119,101 51
Add receipts from ⅛ mill tax for two years, @ $38,495 73	76,991 46
Add receipts from Trust Funds for 1870, 1871, and 1872—3 years, @ $130,000	390,000 00
Which gives for am't on hand Nov. 30, 1872	$586,092 97

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The first installment of the Two Million Loan becomes due January 1, 1873, amounting to..		$469,000 00
After paying which there will remain.....		$117,092 97
Add receipts from the Trust Funds for 1873, 1874, 1875, 1876, 1877—5 years, @ $130,000..		650,000 00
Amount on hand Nov. 30, 1877.....		$767,092 97
Of the Two Million Loan there becomes due January 1, 1878.....	$450,000	
The balance of the Renewal Loan becomes due July 1, 1878, and amounts to.....	192,000	
Giving for amount of debt to be paid in 1878.		642,000 00
After paying which there will remain.....		$125,092 97
Add Trust Fund receipts for 1878, 1879, 1880, 1881, 1882—5 years, @ $130,000.....		650,000 00
Amount on hand Nov. 30, 1882.....		$775,092 97
The last installment of the Two Million Loan which becomes due January 1, 1883, amounts to.....		750,000 00
Paying which, there will remain on hand January 1, 1883.....		$25,092 97

Seven years later (May 1, 1890,) the War Bounty Loan becomes due. This Loan now stands at $463,000 00—and to meet it at maturity would require receipts through the Trust Funds for the seven years subsequent to the discharge of all other State indebtedness as shown above, of only $62,558 15 per annum.

In the above computation it will be noticed that account has been taken of the $\frac{1}{8}$ mill tax but for two years; also that the Trust Fund receipts are estimated at $130,000 per annum, an

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amount lower than the receipts from that source during the past year by $50,000, and $40,000 below the average receipts for the last three years. This estimate has been purposely kept so far below the reasonably expected receipts that the result reached by said computation might be more certain. It thus appears that the present provisions for the payment of the bonded State debt are more than ample, and that the next Legislature could with safety abolish the ⅛ mill tax, and confidently rely upon the receipts from the Trust Funds as being sufficient to provide for the discharge of the State debt as fast as it matures.

A computation[1] of the annually accruing interest upon the now outstanding State indebtedness demonstrates that direct taxation will need be resorted to but for a short time—three years at the longest—as a resource from which to obtain the funds necessary to meet the current interest upon the now remaining portion of the State debt. The Constitution pro-

[1] *STATEMENT of the amount of Annual Interest upon the now outstanding State Bonds—computed for each year to the maturity of the several classes thereof.*

YEAR.	War, Jan. 1, 1870.	Two Million, Due Jan. 1, 1878.	Two Million, Due Jan. 1, 1878.	Renewal, Due July 1, 1878.	Two Million, Due Jan. 1, 1883.	War Bounty, Due May 1, 1890.	Total Interest payable each year.
1870	$19,952 98	$28,140	$27,000	$11,520	$45,000	$33,285	$164,897 98
1871	----------	28,140	27,000	11,520	45,000	33,460	145,120 00
1872	----------	28,140	27,000	11,520	45,000	33,460	145,120 00
1873	----------	14,070	27,000	11,520	45,000	33,460	131,050 00
1874	----------	--------	27,000	11,520	45,000	33,460	116,980 00
1875	----------	--------	27,000	11,520	45,000	33,460	116,980 00
1876	----------	--------	27,000	11,520	45,000	33,460	116,980 00
1877	----------	--------	27,000	11,520	45,000	33,460	116,980 00
1878	----------	--------	13,500	11,520	45,000	33,460	103,480 00
1879	----------	--------	--------	--------	45,000	33,460	78,460 00
1880	----------	--------	--------	--------	45,000	33,460	78,460 00
1881	----------	--------	--------	--------	45,000	33,460	78,460 00
1882	----------	--------	--------	--------	45,000	33,460	78,460 00
1883	----------	--------	--------	--------	22,500	33,460	55,960 00
1184	----------	--------	--------	--------	--------	33,460	33,460 00
1885	----------	--------	--------	--------	--------	33,460	33,460 00
1886	----------	--------	--------	--------	--------	33,460	33,460 00
1887	----------	--------	--------	--------	--------	33,460	33,460 00
1888	----------	--------	--------	--------	--------	33,460	33,460 00
1889	----------	--------	--------	--------	--------	33,460	33,460 00
1890	----------	--------	--------	--------	--------	16,730	16,730 00
Totals	$19,952 98	$98,490	$229,500	$103,680	$607,500	$685,755	$1,744,877 98

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vides that the Specific Taxes—except those paid by the Mining Companies of the Upper Peninsula—shall be used in the payment of the interest upon the educational funds and upon the State debt. The receipts from this source[1] met the 1869 interest upon the educational funds, and furnished $108,574 37 towards the payment of the interest upon the State debt. The ensuing year must show a large increase in receipts from this source, from which there will probably be available for the payment of interest, other than upon the educational funds, $120,000. So much of the 1870 interest as shall not be met from this source, is provided for by a general fund appropriation.

The computation shows—with the debt reduced only as it matures—a rapid reduction in the annual interest thereon; a reduction which, as indicated above, will soon bring it within the reach of the Specific Tax Fund to pay. Anticipating the payment of any portion of the State debt will hasten such a result. And could bonds of the State be purchased, during the coming year, to the extent of the ability of the Two Million Loan Sinking Fund to purchase, the reduction consequent thereto, will probably bring the interest within the amount afforded from the Specific Tax Fund for the payment thereof.

From the foregoing it would appear that in so far as it has been deemed necessary to provide, by direct taxation, for the payment of the principal and interest of the State debt, that necessity is rapidly passing away, and taxation to that extent may soon be abated.

And a further abatement is possible, and it is believed, advisable in the item of the Military Tax,—a special tax levied under the provisions of Section 93, of Act No. 16, laws of 1862, and is a sum equal to fifteen cents for each person whom it shall appear voted for the office of Governor at the next preceding gubernatorial election and is apportioned among the several counties in the same manner as are other State taxes.

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[1] Appendix, Statement "P," page 70.

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Ostensibly, this tax is levied for the payment of expenses incurred for the maintainance of the military forces of this State. Actually, however, but a small portion of the fund accruing therefrom is used for any such purpose. During the year past but about one-fourth of the receipts from this tax have been expended[1] in the discharge of obligations contemplated by the Act under which it was levied. Other expenditures—legitimate and proper in themselves—have been made from this fund, but it is respectfully submitted, that it would be policy to reduce this tax to the requirements of the fund, or better, to abolish the tax altogether, and to supply the Military Fund by appropriation from the General Fund.

It is not supposed that such a change would effect a diminution in the amount of funds *actually necessary* to carry on the State Government and support her Institutions, but it is presumable that the future will show—as has the past—that the unused balances of any fund are convenient sources from which to make extraordinary expenditures. Such balances also have the appearance of unnecessary and excessive taxation, and having accrued are too often assumed as warranting appropriations which else would not have been made. Politic and economical considerations alike would induce such a change in the manner of supplying the funds from which are to be paid the expenses of the Military Department. Indeed the idea more than suggests itself here that the policy of providing by law for the perpetual levy of special taxes for indefinite and growing amounts and indeterminate purposes, is at best a doubtful one. Such a tax once fixed upon the State does not always pass away with the necessity—real or supposed—under which it was imposed.

The virtual extinction of the War Loan has been assumed by the Auditor General as warranting him in not apportioning the 1-16 mill, or War Loan Sinking Fund tax for 1869, among the several counties. Withholding this tax has re-

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[1] Appendix, "Military Fund," p. 24.

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lieved the people of taxation to the amount of $19,247 87. The law, technically, perhaps would require that the tax be imposed until the Legislature shall have repealed the section under which it was levied, but the debt for the payment of which it was intended to provide will be extinguished from the use of funds[1] already at hand. Hence, as before the tax could have been collected, the necessity for the receipts therefrom would have passed away, the tax was withheld.

The rapid reduction of taxation in this State during the past two years—the further reduction to be made during the year ensuing, and yet further future reduction possible under favorable legislation, are matters of congratulation and evince a highly prosperous condition of the State's finances. Yet it is deemed proper to correct here, an idea which has obtained generally throughout the State to the effect that direct taxation for the purpose of meeting the current expenses of the State, and of her charitable and reformatory institutions, will in the future, be largely abated by the use of the specific tax receipts for that purpose. *No such reduction through that channel is possible.* The Constitution provides that, all specific taxes except those received from the mining companies of the Upper Peninsula, shall be applied in paying the interest upon the educational funds, and the interest and principal of the State debt, in the order recited, until the extinguishment of the State debt, other than the amounts due to educational funds, *when such specific taxes shall be added to and constitute a part of the Primary School Interest Fund,* and this provision is a positive inhibition against the use of the specific taxes for the payment of the current expenses of the State government.

DEPOSIT DEBT.

The following items comprise the deposit debt of the State:

Railroad deposits	$2,069 82
Light-house deposits	15 00

[1] Appendix, Statement "N," p. 70.

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Agricultural College Fund	$14,165 00
Primary School deposits	1,061 25
" " Interest deposits	1 71
Swamp Land deposits	60 00
State Building deposits	50 00

The new deposit accounts have been opened under a necessity created by the amendment of Sec. 2463 of the Compiled Laws, as effected by Act No. 85, Laws of 1869, which gives one year's time for the redemption of lands which have been forfeited to the State for the non-payment of interest upon the unpaid balance of the purchase price. The entries to these funds are for a temporary purpose and the amounts standing credited thereto at the close of the period of redemption will then be transferred to the several funds to which these deposit accounts are auxiliary.

REVENUE.

The total revenue to the State from all sources for the year just closed, and exclusive of the balance in the Treasury at the close of the last fiscal year, is		$2,116,584 07
The cash receipts, however, are less than this amount by the price of the Swamp land expended during the year in the construction of Swamp Land State Roads, which amounted to		538,000 42
Giving for cash receipts for the year, exclusive of the balance in the State Treasury Nov. 30, 1868		$1,578,583 65
Of this amount there was received through the avenue of direct taxation	$722,409 57	
From specific taxes	268,530 51	
		990,940 08
Giving for amount of actual cash receipts from all sources other than taxation[1]		$587,643 57

[1] For detail of receipts see Appendix, p. 3.

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SPECIFIC TAXES.

The Specific tax receipts were from the following sources, and of the several amounts stated:

Received from Railroad and Railway Cos.[1]		$176,487 70
" " State Bank[2]		900 00
" " National Banks[2]		2,365 00
" " Telegraph Companies[2]		1,160 00
" " Express Companies[2]		983 88
" " Insurance Companies[3]		77,207 04
" " Mining Companies[4]		9,426 89
Total		$268,530 51
Deducting amount received from Mining Cos. of the Upper Peninsula	$9,426 89	
And am't refunded to First National Bank of Owosso	500 00	
		9,926 89
And there remained applicable to the payment of interest		$258,603 62
Of which amount there was used in paying the interest upon educational funds		150,029 25
Leaving a balance applicable to the payment of interest upon the bonded State debt, of		$108,574 37

The law laying a specific tax upon the capital stock paid in of the National Banks doing business within this State was, by the Supreme Court, at its January term, in the case of Smith *vs.* First National Bank of Tecumseh,[5] found to be "directly opposed to the law of Congress upon that subject, and therefore void." Prior to this decision, the Sheriff of Shi-

[1] Appendix, p. 55.
[2] Ibid, p. 57.
[3] Ibid, p. 58.
[4] Ibid, p. 62.
[5] 17 Mich., p. 479.

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awassee county had, under a warrant issued by the Auditor General, collected by levy and sale, a portion of the tax—five hundred dollars—charged on the books of this office against the First National Bank of Owosso. This tax was, after the decision of the Supreme Court in the above cited case became known, refunded.

The specific tax revenue from all sources—other than National Banks—for the last year, exceeded that from the same sources during the previous year by $16,999 54. There yet remains uncollected from various corporations subject to this tax, upwards of $35,000, as appears from the Auditor General's books. This amount would be much larger had all corporations made their reports as required by law, and upon which the tax is estimated. The iron mining companies are especially noted as being delinquent in this respect.

THE TRUST FUNDS.

The credit balance of the Trust Funds amounted, on the 30th day of November, 1868, to..... $2,029,268 31

The net receipts thereto for the year are as follows:

To the Primary School Fund.....	$114,946 46	
" Five per cent. Pri. Sch'l F'd	24,411 07	
" Normal School Fund.....	1,575 23	
" University Fund.....	7,562 57	
		148,495 33
Giving for credit balance of Trust Funds, Nov. 30, 1869.....		$2,177,763 64

DIRECT TAXES.

The receipts from this source for the year amount to $722,409 57—less by $142,638 86 than for the previous year.

The State tax apportioned to the several counties in September last, amounted to $465,264 97—less by $248,482 87

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than for 1868, and $415,474 33 than were the State taxes for 1867. The items of the State taxes apportioned for each of the three years above mentioned and the several Acts imposing each are shown in the subjoined

STATEMENT.

ACTS.	1867.	1868.	1869.
Act No. 122, 1861, ½ Mill	$38,495 73	$38,495 73	$38,495 73
" 5, 1861, (Extra Session,) 1-16 Mill	19,247 87	19,247 87	.....
" 16, 1862, Military Tax	24,674 25	24,674 25	33,803 40
" 59, 1867, University Aid	15,398 30	15,398 30	.....
" 14, 1869, " "	.....	.....	15,000 00
" 115, 1867, Asylum for the Insane	50,000 00	.....	.....
" 152, " " " D., D. and B.	40,000 00	.....	.....
" 121, 1869, " " " "	.....	.....	70,000 00
General Tax	692,923 15	615,981 69	307,965 84
Totals	$880,739 30	$713,747 84	$465,264 97

THE SINKING FUNDS.

Two Million Loan Sinking Fund.

The amount available for the purchase of State Bonds through this Fund[1] during the year was $296,591 60. Of this amount $101,000 has been used in the purchase of bonds, $76,490 09 has been transferred to the War Loan Sinking Fund, and there remains an unexpended balance of $119,101 51.

War Loan Sinking Fund.

The receipts to this Fund[2] during the year, together with the transfers thereto, authorized by Joint Resolution No. 7, Laws of 1869, were sufficient to extinguish the entire War Loan indebtedness, $300,000 of which was drawn, payable July 1, 1869, and the balance, $590,500, payable January 1,

[1]Appendix "L," p. 68. [2]Ibid, p. 70.

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1870. The payment of these amounts will absorb the present credit to the fund, when, having served the purpose for which it was opened, the War Loan Sinking Fund will be closed.

CANAL FUND.

The account with this Fund shows receipts thereto, from canal tolls, during the year, to the amount of $12,396 50 against $13,959 67 for 1868.

The Canal Fund indebtedness to the counties, under Joint Resolution No. 2, Laws of 1863, now amounts to $12,817 44, with interest from January 1, 1869, at 7 per cent. On this indebtedness there will be paid on the first day of January next, $4,067 72, leaving an unpaid balance of $9,646 94.

WAR FUND.

The total resources of this Fund for the year amounted to $137,169 44, against which there has been drawn warrants amounting to $124,645 23, leaving an excess of receipts over expenditures of $12,524 21. The present outstanding and matured liabilities of the War Fund are:

Past due interest on War Bounty Bonds	$10,955 00
" " " Bonds	803 25
Gettysburg Cemetery Appropriat'n, Act 118, 1865	854 80
Total liabilities	$12,613 05
Showing a deficiency of	$88 84

MILITARY FUND.

This Fund received credits—including balance Nov. 30, 1868—during the year, amounting to $48,555 03, of which $16,156 53 was by transfers of unexpended balances from the Soldiers' Relief and Soldiers' Home Funds[1]. The legitimate expenditures therefrom amounted to $10,416 65, leaving a balance of $38,138 38, which has been transferred to the Asylum Fund[2] for the benefit of the Asylum for the Insane.

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[1]Act No. 27, Laws of 1869. [2]Ibid, No. 63, 1869.

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INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF, DUMB, AND BLIND.

Payments on account of this institution, since the close of the last fiscal year, have been made as follows:

Arrearages	$15,000 00
Current expenses	36,500 00
Building	30,000 00
Total expenditures during year	$81,500 00

ASYLUM FOR INSANE.

The expenditures on account of the Asylum for the Insane have been as follows:

For building	$45,400 00
" current expenses	18,000 00
Total	$63,400 00

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

There has been paid from the Treasury, for the use of the Agricultural College:

For current expenses	$20,000 00
" building purposes	25,000 00
Total	$45,000 00

UNIVERSITY.

Under the construction given to Act No. 14, Laws of 1869, by the Supreme Court, at its July term, the University has received aid from the General Fund | $38,197 02
From University Interest Fund | 38,400 00
Total | $76,587 02

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NORMAL SCHOOL.

Of the amount appropriated by Act No. 123, Laws of 1869, there has been paid the Normal School..... $ 2,500 00
And from Normal School Interest Fund..... 16,000 00

Total $18,500 00

PRIMARY SCHOOLS.

There has been paid during the year to the several counties, on the apportionment of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, for the benefit of Primary Schools, $165,651 27.

REFORM SCHOOL.

The Board of Control has drawn for the use of the Reform School:

For current expenses, Act 100, 1867.....	$ 1,000 00
" building, " 195, "	4,052 48
" warming, " " "	5,000 00
" current expenses, " 108, 1869.....	35,000 00
" building and repairs, Act 108, 1869.....	10,973 05
	$56,025 53

STATE PRISON.

For the past year this institution has paid its own current expenses, and has drawn but $2,000 of the $20,000 appropriated by Act No. 120, Laws of 1869, for repairs and buildings.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

The whole of the amount of the Geological Survey appropriation, amounting to $8,000, has been drawn from the treasury.

IMMIGRATION AGENCY.

The appropriation of $5,000 for the support of an Immigration agency abroad, has all been drawn from the treasury.

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SOLDIERS' RELIEF FUND.

This Fund has been closed, and the unexpended balance, $8,656 53, as required by Act No. 27, 1869, transferred to the Military Fund.

SOLDIERS' HOME FUND.

Under the provisions of said Act, No. 27, 1869, this Fund has also been closed, and an unexpended balance of $7,500 transferred to the Military Fund.

SOLDIERS' AID FUND.

The Soldiers' Aid Fund has been opened under the provisions of Act No. 35, Laws of 1869, which provided for aid to disabled soldiers to an amount not exceeding $7,000 per annum. The expenditures through this Fund for the year amounted to $2,000.

SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.

The debit balance of the Suspense Account yet stands at $33,001 31, the same as at the close of the last fiscal year.

CLAIM AGAINST THE GENERAL GOVERNMENT.

The claim against the General Government on account of expenditures made by the State in arming and equipping troops during the late war, is still pending. No reduction has been made of the claim during the year.

DELINQUENT STATE CLAIM.

The Phœnix Bank claim has been adjusted and settled during the year by the payment on the part of the bank of $10,000.

TAX RETURNS AND TAX SALES.

The required returns of delinquent taxes were made within the time limited by law, except by the treasurer of Delta

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county, whose returns were not received at the Auditor General's office until the seventh day of June. Because of so late a return, the taxes were rejected, and no sale made in Delta county.

Nor were there any sales in the counties of Emmet, Mackinaw, or Manitou, on account of the failure of Express Companies to get the sales' books into the hands of the several county treasurers in season for the sale, though said books were delivered to the Express Company in this city on the sixth day of September, twenty-eight days prior to the time of sale.

REGISTERS IN CHANCERY.

The clerks of the counties of Alcona, Alpena, Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Chippewa, Clinton, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Jackson, Keweenaw, Mackinac, Manistee, Manitou, Marquette, Mason, Ontonagon, Osceola and Saginaw have failed to file with the Auditor General the bond that the law requires them to file as Registers in Chancery for their several counties, for the term commencing January 1, 1869.

DRAIN TAXES.

The present drain law[1] enacts that it shall be the duty of the treasurer of any county to return all lands delinquent for taxes thereon, levied under the provisions of said act, to the Auditor General, and that such lands shall be advertised and sold therefor, at the same time and in the same manner as lands delinquent for other taxes so returned.[2] The general tax law requires that when the returns of delinquent taxes are received by the Auditor General, the *amount* thereof shall be placed to the credit of the proper county on the books in his office.[3] Drain taxes, being spread upon the general tax roll, are included in the list of delinquent taxes returned to the

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[1]Act No. 43, Laws of 1869. [2]Section 12, Drain Law. [3]Tax Law, Sec. 68.

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Auditor General, and hence pass to the credit of the proper county, as a part of the *amount* of such return, and the proper county gets the benefit of the delinquent drain taxes thus credited, in the same manner as of the credits of other delinquent taxes. So far, the drain law, and the general tax law, are in harmony. Both require the State to carry the uncollected taxes in the several counties. But the drain law goes beyond this, and provides that the counties shall receive a second benefit from their delinquent drain taxes, for, after receiving the benefit of such taxes in a general settlement with the Auditor General, it provides for a special settlement with the State Treasurer, and requires that officer, in case any lands belonging to individuals charged with a drain tax shall be bid off to the State, or sold to other parties, at the tax sales, to pay over to the proper County Treasurer the amount of such drain taxes, and, under the drain law, this payment is required to be made by the State Treasurer without any regard to the condition of the account between the State and county—required to be made, even though the county claiming such payment may be in debt—as is the case with most of the counties that have returned delinquent drain taxes—to the State.

The drain law also provides that county drain orders shall, if tendered therefor, be received by the State in the payment of drain taxes upon any land for the non-payment of which such land was returned to the Auditor General. Virtually, this provision puts it in the power of the county drain commissioners to draw orders upon the State Treasurer for an amount limited only by the delinquent drain taxes standing undischarged on the books in the Auditor General's office.

An examination of the books in this office shows that the amount of drain taxes returned for each of the last four years is, for 1865, $9,278 25; for 1866, $18,185 39; for 1867, $53,-

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342 40; for 1868, $102,381 75,[1] and that the return thereof was from twenty-six of the fifty-nine counties of the State; that of the twenty-six, fourteen counties return, for 1868, less than $1,000 each, thus showing that the great bulk of the amount returned was from twelve counties.

This examination affords the means of illustrating the financial provisions of the drain law, and of showing the results of an observance of such provisions. As affording an extreme case, attention is called to Monroe county.

The whole amount of delinquent taxes returned from this county in March last was $27,321 04. Of this sum $20,287 60 was delinquent drain taxes—$148 95 of which was rejected—$6,625 73 was paid before or at the October tax sales, and the

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[1] *STATEMENT of the amount of Delinquent Drain Taxes returned to the Auditor General for the years 1865, 1866, 1867, and 1868, returned respectively in the years 1866, 1867, 1868, and 1869.*

COUNTIES.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868.
Barry	----------	----------	$475 56	$563 10
Bay	----------	----------	----------	11,161 51
Branch	$9 00	$19 50	----------	145 18
Calhoun	----------	275 76	----------	162 19
Clinton	323 39	430 95	4,581 17	2,438 17
Eaton	----------	67 60	528 19	882 47
Genesee	1,631 21	1,391 85	6,981 63	6,192 96
Gratiot	----------	----------	----------	319 02
Hillsdale	----------	----------	364 12	599 95
Ingham	----------	15 60	704 27	310 87
Ionia	----------	----------	1,090 58	205 07
Jackson	----------	----------	----------	106 08
Kalamazoo	----------	217 86	----------	1 58
Lenawee	501 95	2,084 63	7,784 02	6,418 58
Livingston	----------	512 41	----------	29 43
Macomb	1,429 47	----------	1,999 49	1,886 27
Monroe	1,410 43	4,809 49	9,040 59	20,287 60
Oakland	1,062 67	4,989 61	682 24	288 47
Ottawa	----------	----------	----------	1,447 06
Saginaw	----------	----------	----------	*31,509 34
Shiawassee	80 65	----------	6,792 87	4,754 39
St. Clair	----------	----------	5,665 88	3,104 14
St. Joseph	----------	----------	655 15	38 52
Tuscola	----------	----------	492 44	3,408 91
Washtenaw	93 88	324 94	643 48	822 73
Wayne	2,735 65	3,045 69	4,860 82	5,298 16
Totals	$9,278 25	$18,185 39	$58,342 40	$102,381 75

* Charged back to County under Act No. 405, Laws of 1869.

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balance, $13,512 92 was, at said sale, bid off to the State. Now, as in the settlement with the State, the county, by law, received the benefit of a credit of the full amount of the bids to the State, and by such credit, paid a like amount of the State tax apportioned to said county, it follows in effect that Monroe county has collected the full amount of drain taxes therein which were assessed for 1868 and previous years, and, by such a settlement the County Treasurer has or should have in his hands the funds from which to pay, in full, all orders on account of drains, for the construction of which such taxes were assessed. So much would result from a settlement under the general tax law.

But the drain law enacts, that, notwithstanding this county may have received such a credit, and notwithstanding the fact that, after giving Monroe county the benefit of all her delinquent taxes, said county is still in debt to the State, the State Treasurer shall pay to said county treasurer the amount of drain taxes upon lands bid off to the State, or to other parties, at the tax sales. Further: After giving the county the benefit of this amount in general account, by allowing it to offset a like amount of State tax due from said county, and the provision of the drain law that the State Treasurer shall pay over to the county a like amount, the same law provides that, should any drain orders, issued by the drain commissioners of that county, be tendered for drain taxes—on lands within that county—due the State, they shall be received in discharge of such taxes.

Thus it appears that the drain law requires, 1st. That Monroe county be permitted to pay her proportion of the State tax, to the full amount of such tax; 2d. That the State Treasurer shall pay to said county the full amount of the drain tax upon lands bid off at the tax sales, whether bid to the State or to other parties; 3d. That after such a settlement has been effected between the State and the county as is re-

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quired by the general law, and payment has been made by the State Treasurer, as required by the drain law, thereby giving said county a double benefit of her delinquent drain taxes, and placing the funds in the hands of the County Treasurer with which to take up and cancel her drain orders, those drain orders must, if tendered for that purpose, be taken in payment of such drain taxes due the State.

That is, the county of Monroe may become as deeply in debt as possible under the drain law; she may impose taxes upon lands, as she has done, so high that they will not be paid by the owner, and for which the lands cannot be sold, and under said law the State may become doubly responsible for the payment of the greater portion of such county indebtedness, as she has become responsible for, and has paid to the county the $13,512 92 as before stated, and is yet held for the payment of the same amount of Monroe county drain orders, should such orders be tendered in payment of the taxes represented by the above stated amount.

The above are some of the objectionable financial features of the law under consideration. These features, in their operations, are not confined to Monroe county, but extend to all oounties in which draining, under said law, is carried on to any considerable cxtent. That the requirements of this law have not been complied with, does not remove the fact that its provisions are as above set forth. That they cannot be complied with fully by the State officers, whose duties in the premises are therein set forth, does not relieve the law of its objectionable features, but they remain there as a constant source of irritation and unpleasantness between all parties concerned in the execution of the law, and are given as reasons, in some known instances, by County Treasurers, for which they decline to pay drain orders when presented to them, notwithstanding they have withheld from the State

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funds sufficient[1] in amount for the full payment of all such orders.

Nor is the present drain law less objectionable in what it omits than in what it includes. It would be supposed that the law, which in its provisions thus opened the State Treasury for the payment of county orders, of a class that can thereunder be issued, to an amount over which the State has no control, would have thrown around the Treasury some protection against any possible unwarranted demands upon its funds. The law under consideration not only fails in furnishing any such protection, but it removed, by the repeal of the drain law of 1861, the only safeguard possible against the payment of any class of unwarrantable demands upon the Treasury which may be made under its provisions.

The repealed law required the drain commissioners to file with the Auditor General "a report of all matters necessary to a full exhibition of their action, on each drain." The present law requires no such reports to be made, and the Auditor General has no means by which to determine whether an order tendered to him for the purpose of paying the drain taxes upon a given piece of land, can, even under the provisions of said law, be legitimately accepted in payment of such taxes; nor can he determine whether the drain for the construction of which such order was issued and the land, for the payment of the drain taxes upon which such order might be tendered, were in the same or in different townships; nor, if in the same township, whether such orders were not issued for the construction of one drain, and the taxes for the

[1]The following are the counties, the Treasurers of which have withheld from the State the full amount of their unpaid drain taxes assessed for 1868, and previous years, and consequently whose several drain funds should have shown credits to the full amount of the taxes assessed for the construction of corresponding drains. The counties are, Clinton, Genesee, Hillsdale, Ingham, Ionia, Jackson, Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, Ottawa, Shiawassee, St. Clair, Washtenaw and Wayne.

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payment of which such order might be tendered, assessed for the construction of another.

The nature of the objectionable features of the drain law will readily suggest the reason for stating them here. These objections do not necessarily lie against a drainage system, but only against the present form of the law through which such a system is to be kept in operation. The remedy is simple, and should it be applied by competent authority, there would remain little to mar the execution of one of the most important laws upon the statute books of this State.

WILLIAM HUMPHREY,
Auditor General.

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APPENDIX.

STATEMENT

Of Expenditures and Receipts for the year ending Nov. 30th, 1869.

	Exp'nditures.	Receipts.
The balance in the hands of the State Treasurer, on Nov. 30, 1868, exclusive of amount to meet outstanding warrant on General Fund, was		$1,130,227 15
General Fund*	$722,886 38	1,005,859 12
Primary School Fund	520 00	115,466 46
Primary School Interest Fund	166,688 46	56,965 63
Swamp Land Fund	546,567 58	593,651 50
Swamp Land Interest Fund	179 44	4,989 04
University Fund	254 75	7,817 32
University Interest Fund	38,735 58	10,219 03
Normal School Fund		1,575 23
Normal School Interest Fund	16,015 00	1,864 78
Agricultural College Fund		11,865 00
Agricultural College Interest Fund		58 96
Asylum Fund	144,968 55	2,825 78
State Building Fund	5 50	993 52
Internal Improvement Fund		699 63
War Fund	124,645 23	15,017 50
War Loan Sinking Fund	479,500 00	
Two Million Loan Sinking Fund	104,000 00	1,389 41
St. Mary's Falls Ship Canal Fund	10,418 78	12,439 50
Military Fund	8,316 65	
Soldiers' Home Fund	2,500 00	
Soldiers' Relief Fund	1,343 37	2,999 90
Swamp Land Deposit		60 00
Primary School Deposit	185 00	1,246 25
Primary School Interest Deposit	81	2 52
State Building Deposit		50 00
Michigan Central Railroad Deposit	87 50	
Specific Tax Fund	4,718 47	268,580 51
Soldiers' Aid Fund	2,000 00	
University Aid Fund	38,197 02	
Balance charged State Treasurer, Nov. 30, 1869	834,089 72	
	$3,246,813 74	$3,246,813 74

* Includes $2.52 charged under J. R. 25, 1869.

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STATE INDEBTEDNESS.

The bonded debt is as follows:

Two Million Loan Bonds, 6's, due Jan. 1, 1878	$469,000 00
" " 6's, " 1, 1878	450,000 00
" " 6's, " 1, 1883	750,000 00
Renewal Loan Bonds, 6's, due July 1, 1878	192,000 00
War Loan Bonds, 7's, due Jan. 1, 1886	551,500 00
War Bounty Loan Bonds, 7's, due May 1, 1890	463,000 00
Canal Bonds, 6's, due July 1, 1879, guaranteed by State	84,000 00
Total Interest-Bearing Debt	$2,959,500 00
Matured Adjusted Bonds, interest stopped, payable on demand	3,000 00
Matured, full-paid Five Million Loan B'ds, In't stop'd, pay'le on dem'd	3,000 00
War Loan Bonds, interest stopped, payable on demand	45,100 00
Outstanding part-paid (unrecognized) Bonds, $57,000—adjustable at	32,978 49
Total Bonded Debt of the State	$3,043,578 49

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LEDGER BALANCES—Nov. 30th, 1869.

	Dr.	Cr.
State Treasurer	$884,089 72	
General Fund		$821,489 05
Primary School Fund		1,608,190 26
Primary School Interest Fund		90,187 02
Primary School Five Per Cent. Fund		210,011 07
Swamp Land Fund		188,995 99
Swamp Land Interest Fund		110,058 62
University Fund		313,525 13
University Interest Fund		742 26
Normal School Fund		46,037 18
Normal School Interest Fund		13,041 37
Agricultural College Fund		14,165 00
Agricultural College Interest Fund		58 96
Asylum Fund		109,839 92
State Building Fund		27,660 73
Internal Improvement Fund	2,436,526 28	
War Fund		12,524 21
War Loan Sinking Fund		596,600 00
Two Million Loan Sinking Fund	856,910 97	
St. Mary's Falls Ship Canal Fund		29,405 79
University Aid Fund		7,599 58
Primary School Deposit		1,061 25
Swamp Land Deposit		60 00
State Building Deposit		50 00
Primary School Interest Deposit		1 71
Suspense Account	33,001 31	
Treasury Notes		730 00
Michigan Central Railroad Deposits		1,859 52
Michigan Southern Railroad Deposits		146 72
St. Joseph Valley Railroad Deposits		55 00
Oakland and Ottawa Railroad Deposits		8 58
Lighthouse Deposits		15 00
Land Warrants		1,602 56
Land Warrants—Second Series		656 06
Internal Improvement Warrants		3,558 75
Swamp Land Warrants		645 99
	$4,160,528 28	$4,160,528 28

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DR. GENERAL FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To Salaries of Public Officers (E)		$32,083 68
	" Expenses of Judiciary (F)		38,184 80
	" Sundry Appropriations (G)		181,787 82
	" Trustees Michigan Asylums		740 91
	" Inspectors of State Prison		735 20
	" Ex. Cl'ks, Land, Sec'y St., Treas. and Sup. Pub. Ins. offices		9,880 41
	" Awards of Board of State Auditors		108,970 76
	" Wolf Bounty		122 00
	" Coroners' Fees		1,889 88
	" Refunded—delinquent taxes	$6,861 60	
	" " " " interest	1,421 85	
	" " office charges	11 34	
	" " redemp's (Ind., $41,140 49; St., 442 53)	41,583 02	
	" " State bids	3,771 25	
	" " " interest	785 29	
	" " State tax lands	4,178 39	
	" " " " interest	392 29	
	" " proceeds of sales	60 09	
	" Exp. of sales, ref. and disb. from proc'ds of sales	41,571 08	
	" Paid sundry counties on acc't (taxes collected)	124,241 72	224,877 87
	" Expenses of selecting Ag'l College grant, Act 146, 1863		3,822 88
	" Refunded—Bank Specific Tax (Owosso Bank)		* 550 00
	" " Min'g " (½ 1868 col., U. Penin. Co's)		2,595 41
	" " Interest on Bank Specific Tax		22 90
	" " Tax Histories—Auditor General's Office		3 21
	" State Salt-spring Lands—appraisals, &c.		15 00
	" Salt Bounty		1,000 00
	" Interest on Two Million Loan Bonds		102,825 00
	" " Renewal " "		11,910 00
	" Commissioner of Immigration (salary)		1,249 99
	" Costs of Suits		219 66
	" Amount transferred to University Aid Fund		45,796 60
	" " " Military Fund		24,724 25
	" " " Two Million Loan Sinking Fund		39,055 73
	" " " War Loan Sinking Fund		393,971 84
	" " " Normal School Interest Fund		10,000 00
	" " " Asylum Fund		131,361 62
	" balance		821,489 05
	* Includes $50.00 expenses.		$2,189,235 47

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GENERAL FUND. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868, exclusive of outstand'g warrant		$1,168,441 46
	" Am't recov'd of Phœnix B'k (aw'd of B'd of St. Aud'rs)		10,000 00
	" Sales of lands for taxes in October	$170,368 86	
	" Sundry Counties—taxes collected, &c	502,047 88	
	" Delinquent Taxes collected	176,810 16	
	" " " interest on	12,778 85	
	" Expense of sales	2,458 64	
	" Office Charges	4,827 37	
	" Redemption of sales to individuals	19,379 48	
	" " State bids	18,946 46	
	" State bids sold	15,799 40	
	" " interest on	2,928 58	
	" State Tax Lands sold	19,919 78	
	" " " interest on	1,021 98	947,287 44
	" Tax Histories, &c., Aud. Gen'ls Office		1,581 08
	" Fees and Charges—State Land Office		1,043 30
	" " " Secretary of State		288 95
	" " " State Treasurer		166 50
	" State Salt-spring Lands and interest		1,887 67
	" Sundries (H)		43,656 66
	" Am't transf'd from St. Mary's Falls Ship Canal Fund		6,605 15
	" " " Contingent Fund		392 35
	" " " Military Fund		100 00
	" " " Specific Tax Fund		12,837 39
	" Am't under J. R. 25, 1869, (outstanding warrant)		2 52
			$2,189,235 47

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DR. SPECIFIC TAX FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To am't trans. to Uni. Int. Fund (Sec. 1, Art. 14, St. Const'n)	$28,644 48
	" " P. S. Int. Fund, " " "	118,652 47
	" " N. S. " " " "	2,732 30
	" " War Fund " " "	100,950 40
	" " Gen'l Fund " " "	8,123 97
	" " " " (½ U. Penin. Mining Tax)	4,718 42
	" ½ of U. Penin. Mining Tax refunded to Counties	4,718 47
		$268,580 51

DR. INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance, Nov. 30, 1868, including outstanding warrants	$2,437,225 91
		$2,437,225 91

DR. ST. MARY'S FALLS SHIP CANAL FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To Paid interest on Canal Loan Bonds	$5,190 00
	" Salary of Superintendent	1,125 00
	" Am't transf'd to Gen'l Fund under J. R. 2, 1868	6,605 15
	" Paid Canal Bonds	2,000 00
	" Expenses of Canal Board	837 60
	" Costs of suit	166 37
	" Dredging	1,099 81
	" balance	29,405 79
		$46,429 72

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SPECIFIC TAX FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By Cash rec'd on R. R. Specific Tax (I)	$176,487 70
	" " Bank " (I)	3,265 00
	" " Telegraph " (I)	1,160 00
	" " Express " (I)	983 88
	" " Insurance " (I)	77,207 04
	" " Mining " (I)	9,426 89
		$268,530 51

INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By Internal Improvement Lands sold	$699 63
	" balance, including outstanding warrants	2,486,526 28
		$2,487,225 91

ST. MARY'S FALLS SHIP CANAL FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$33,990 22
	" Cash received on account of tolls	12,396 50
	" Discount on Canal Bonds purchased and retired	43 00
		$46,429 72

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DR. SWAMP LAND FUND.

NOVEMBER 30, 1869.	CASH.	Warrants, Act 117, '59, etc.	Warrants, Sec. 6, Act 76, 1867.	TOTAL.
To am'ts expended on St. R'ds, viz:				
Allegan, Muskegon & Traverse Bay	.....	$50 00	$13,777 50	$13,827 50
Alma and Clinton	.....	.....	16,360 50	16,360 50
Almont and Cass River	.....	.....	30 00	30 00
Berlin and Georgetown	.....	50 00	.....	50 00
Big Rapids and Grand Rapids	.....	.....	6,937 50	6,937 50
East Saginaw and Junction	.....	.....	4,275 00	4,275 00
Duncan, Alpena and Sauble River	$63 75	550 00	11,307 50	11,921 25
East Saginaw and Sauble River	.....	.....	6,000 00	6,000 00
Englishville and Croton	.....	1,251 42	.....	1,251 42
Greenbush and Gratiot	.....	400 00	.....	400 00
Greenville and Big Rapids	.....	.....	4,235 29	4,235 29
Ionia, Houghton Lake and Mackinac	.....	.....	27,578 26	27,578 26
Lexington and Flint River	.....	1,397 01	2,500 00	3,897 01
Saginaw, Gratiot and Newaygo	.....	.....	11,856 00	11,856 00
Emmet and Grand Traverse	.....	210 21	.....	210 21
Keweenaw Bay	.....	8,798 74	.....	8,798 74
Mineral Range	.....	.....	8 40	8 40
Midland and Isabella	.....	88 99	7,700 00	7,788 99
Muskegon and Cedar Springs	.....	.....	11,115 77	11,115 77
Newaygo and Northport	.....	.....	16,384 00	16,384 00
Ontonagon and State Line	.....	.....	75 50	75 50
Ovid and St. Charles	.....	.....	4,720 00	4,720 00
Port Austin and Sanilac	.....	1,884 60	22,000 00	23,884 60
Bridgeton and Osceola	.....	.....	5,880 00	5,880 00
Port Huron, Bay City and Lansing	.....	3,106 44	26,456 90	29,563 34
Port Sanilac and Tuscola	.....	1,400 00	1,600 00	3,000 00
Tuscola and Saginaw Bay	.....	150 00	2,712 50	2,862 50
Saginaw and Gratiot	.....	711 20	.....	711 20
Saginaw City and Owosso	.....	100 00	.....	100 00
Sand Beach and Bay City	.....	6,458 36	.....	6,458 36
Sanilac and Bay	.....	7,278 75	2,754 00	10,032 75
St. Mary's River and Mackinac	.....	.....	22,411 55	22,411 55
Amount carried forward	$63 75	$33,885 72	$228,676 17	$262,625 64

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SWAMP LAND FUND. CR.

1869.			
Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868		$116,123 09
	" Am'ts rec'd on sale of State Swamp Lands:		
	Warrants, Act 117, '59, &c.	$34,764 84	
	Warrants, Sec. 6, Act 76, '67	503,235 58	
	Cash	50,746 68	588,747 10
	" Fines from trespassers on lands		4,895 40
	" Fees—Swamp Land State Road Com'rs Office		9 00
	Amount carried forward		$709,774 59

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DR. SWAMP LAND FUND—CONTINUED.

NOVEMBER 30, 1869.	CASH.	Warrants, Act 117, '59, etc.	Warrants, Sec. 6, Act 76, 1867.	TOTAL.
Amount brought forward	$68 75	$33,885 72	$228,676 17	$262,625 64
State Ditches	15 00	579 12	11,358 00	11,952 12
Lapeer and Tuscola			7,168 90	7,168 90
Capac and Clyde			1,925 00	1,925 00
Ingham and Clinton			1,600 00	1,600 00
Sanilac and Huron			23,147 97	23,147 97
Ithaca and Alma		100 00		100 00
Cass River and Bay City			33,201 25	33,201 25
Bay de Noc and Green Bay			14,400 00	14,400 00
Montcalm and Gratiot			15,681 00	15,681 00
Mid. C'y, Hough'n Lake & G. T. Bay			110,194 92	110,194 92
Clio and Chesaning			1,502 10	1,502 10
Genesee and Tuscola			7,200 00	7,200 00
Ontonagon and Montreal River			11,468 57	11,468 57
Manistee and Leeland			17,056 40	17,056 40
Saugatuck and Overisel			2 50	2 50
Wisconsin and Lake Superior			12,600 00	12,600 00
Crawford's Marble Quarry			91 00	91 00
White Lake and Big Rapids			4,804 20	4,804 20
Hastings and Lowell			10 50	10 50
Cottonwood Swamp			2 10	2 10
Greenville and Bloomer			1,200 00	1,200 00
Incidental Ex.—Advertising, &c.	428 40			428 40
Ex. selecting Indemnity Lands	241 70			241 70
Refunded	1,175 70			1,175 70
Ex. S'p L'd St. R'd Com. Office, L. P.	2,498 28			2,498 28
" " " U. P.	515 91			515 91
Cl'ks to S'p L'd St. R'd Com.	1,325 87			1,325 87
Salary of S'p L'd St. R'd Com., L. P.	1,788 87			1,788 87
" " " U. P.	518 63			518 63
Am't transf'd to 5 per cent. Primary Sch'l F'd under Sec. 5, Act 31, 1858	24,411 07			24,411 07
Balance				138,995 99
	$32,978 18	$34,564 84	$503,235 58	$709,774 59

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SWAMP LAND FUND—CONTINUED.

		Cr.
1869.		
Nov. 30.	Amount brought forward	$709,774 59
		$709,774 59

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DR. SWAMP LAND INTEREST FUND.

1869.		
Nov. 30.	To Supervisors' appraisals	$84 50
	" Paid for advertising Forfeited Lands	83 25
	" Erroneous payment refunded	11 69
	" balance	110,058 62
		$110,238 06

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SWAMP LAND INTEREST FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$105,249 02
	" Receipts during fiscal year	4,989 04
		$110,238 06

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Dr. UNIVERSITY FUND.

1869.		
Nov. 30.	To paid under J. R. 7, 1863	$254 75
	" balance	313,525 13
		$313,779 88

Dr. UNIVERSITY INTEREST FUND.

1869.		
Nov. 30.	To am't paid University of Michigan	$38,400 00
	" " for Supervisors' Appraisals	30 00
	" Erroneous payments refunded	25 20
	" Paid for advertising Forfeited Lands	4 50
	" " under J. R. 7, 1863	275 88
	" balance	742 26
		$39,477 84

Dr. UNIVERSITY AID FUND.

1869.		
Nov. 30.	To am't paid under Act 14, 1869	$38,197 02
	" balance	7,599 58
		$45,796 60

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UNIVERSITY FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$305,962 56
	" Receipts during fiscal year	7,817 32
		$313,779 88

UNIVERSITY INTEREST FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$614 33
	" Receipts during fiscal year	10,219 03
	" Am't transf'd from Specific Tax Fund—Interest on University Fund	28,644 48
		$39,477 84

UNIVERSITY AID FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By am't transf'd from Gen'l Fund under Act 14, 1869	$45,796 60
		$45,796 60

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Dr. NORMAL SCHOOL FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$46,087 18
		$46,087 18

Dr. NORMAL SCHOOL INTEREST FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To paid on Certificates of State Board of Education	$16,000 00
	" " for advertising Forfeited Lands	3 00
	" " " Supervisors' Appraisals	12 00
	" balance	13,041 87
		$29,056 87

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NORMAL SCHOOL FUND. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$44,461 95
	" Receipts during fiscal year	1,575 23
		$46,037 18

NORMAL SCHOOL INTEREST FUND. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$14,459 29
	" Receipts during fiscal year	1,864 78
	" Am't transf'd from Gen'l Fund—Act 52, 1869	10,000 00
	" " " Specific Tax Fund, Int. on N. S. Fund	2,732 30
		$29,056 37

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Dr. PRIMARY SCHOOL FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To erroneous sales refunded	$520 00
	" balance	1,608,190 26
		$1,608,710 26

Dr. PRIMARY SCHOOL INTEREST FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To am't paid Counties, apportioned by Sup't Pub. Inst'n	$165,651 27
	" " for advertising Forfeited Lands	173 75
	" " " Supervisors' Appraisals	500 50
	" Erroneous payments refunded	362 94
	" balance	90,187 02
		$256,875 48

Dr. PRIMARY SCHOOL FIVE PER CENT. FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$210,011 07
		$210,011 07

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PRIMARY SCHOOL FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$1,493,243 80
	" Cash received during fiscal year, on lands	115,279 98
	" " under J. R. 8, 1869	186 48
		$1,608,710 26

PRIMARY SCHOOL INTEREST FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$81,257 38
	" Cash received during fiscal year for rent	180 00
	" " " " Int. on Escheat	210 00
	" " " " grass	60 00
	" Interest on balances due from purchasers	56,515 63
	" Am't trans. from Specific Tax Fund, Int. on Pri. Sch'l F'd	108,394 38
	" " " " under Act 31, 1858	10,258 09
		$256,875 48

PRIMARY SCHOOL FIVE PER CENT. FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$185,600 00
	" Am't transferred from Swamp Land Fund	24,411 07
		$210,011 07

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Dr. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$14,165 00
		$14,165 00

Dr. AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE INTEREST FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$58 96
		$58 96

Dr. TWO MILLION LOAN SINKING FUND.

1869. Nov.	To balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$716,866 02
	" Paid Two Million Loan Bonds	75,000 00
	" " Renewal "	8,000 00
	" " War "	6,000 00
	" " War Bounty "	15,000 00
	" Am't transferred to War Loan Sinking Fund	76,490 09
		$897,356 11

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AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE FUND. Cr.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$2,300 00
	" Sale of Agricultural College Lands	11,865 00
		$14,165 00

AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE INTEREST FUND. Cr.

1869. Nov. 30.	By cash received during fiscal year	$58 96
		$58 96

TWO MILLION LOAN SINKING FUND. Cr.

1869. Nov. 30.	By disc't on Two Million Loan Bonds purchased and retired	$1,246 41
	" " Renewal " " "	143 00
	" Am't trans. from Gen'l Fund, under Secs. 4 & 5, Act 122, '61	38,495 73
	" " " Discount	560 00
	" balance	856,910 97
		$897,356 11

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Dr. WAR LOAN SINKING FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To paid War Loan Bonds	$479,500 00
	" balance	596,600 00
		$1,076,100 00

Dr. WAR FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To paid estimates of Quartermaster General	$19,500 00
	" " interest on War Loan	70,030 83
	" " " War Bounty Loan	35,105 00
	" " " Patriotic Loan	9 40
	" balance	12,524 21
		$137,169 44

Dr. MILITARY FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To paid estimates of Quartermaster General	$6,000 00
	" " salary " "	1,400 00
	" " " Adjutant "	916 65
	" " am't trans. to General Fund	100 00
	" " " Sold'rs' Aid F'd, under Sec. 1, Act 35, '69	2,000 00
	" " " Asylum Fund, under Sec. 2, Act 63, '69	38,138 38
		$48,555 03

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WAR LOAN SINKING FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$605,638 07
	" Am't trans. from Gen'l F'd under Sec. 6, Act 5, Ex. Sess. '61	19,247 87
	" " " " " J. R. 7, '69 (surplus funds)	200,000 00
	" " " " " Act 75, 1869	174,723 97
	" " Two Million Loan Sinking Fund	76,490 09
		$1,076,100 00

WAR FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$21,201 54
	" Erroneous payment of interest—refunded	17 50
	" War Bounty Bonds issued	15,000 00
	" Am't trans. from Spe. Tax F'd, under Sec. 1, Art. 14, St. Con.	100,950 40
		$137,169 44

MILITARY FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$7,674 25
	" Am't transf'd from Soldiers' Relief Fund, under Act 27, '69	8,656 58
	" " " Home " " 27, '69	7,500 00
	" " General Fund	50 00
	" " " under Sec. 93, Act 16, 1862	24,674 25
		$48,555 08

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Dr. SOLDIERS' RELIEF FUND.

1869.		
Nov. 30.	To paid requisitions of State Military Board	$102 50
	" " under Act 114, 1867	220 45
	" " expenses of Soldiers' Relief Commission	1,010 42
	" am't trans. to Military Fund, under Act 27, 1869	8,656 58
		$9,999 90

Dr. SOLDIERS' HOME FUND.

1869.		
Nov. 30.	To am't paid under Act 36, 1867	$2,500 00
	" am't trans. to Military Fund under Act 27, 1869	7,500 00
		$10,000 00

Dr. SOLDIERS' AID FUND.

1869.		
Nov. 30.	To am't paid under Act 35, 1869	$2,000 00
		$2,000 00

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SOLDIERS' RELIEF FUND. Cr.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$7,000 00
	" am't received of Gov. H. H. Crapo (bal. unexpended)	2,999 90
		$9,999 90

SOLDIERS' HOME FUND. Cr.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$10,000 00
		$10,000 00

SOLDIERS' AID FUND. Cr.

1869. Nov. 30.	By am't trans. from Military Fund, under Act 35, 1869	$2,000 00
		$2,000 00

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Dr. ASYLUM FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To paid Asylum for Insane, under Act 115, 1867	$24,000 00
	" " " " " 63, 1869	39,400 00
	" " Institution for D., D. and B., Sec. 1, Act 118, 1869	15,000 00
	" " " " " Sec. 2, Act 118, 1869	36,500 00
	" " " " " Sec. 1, Act 121, 1869	30,000 00
	" " for advertising Forfeited Lands	6 50
	" " " Supervisors' Appraisals	19 00
	" Erroneous payments refunded	38 05
	" balance	109,839 92
		$254,803 47

Dr. STATE BUILDING FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To paid for advertising	$4 50
	" " Supervisors' Appraisals	1 00
	" balance	27,660 73
		$27,666 23

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ASYLUM FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$82,477 69
	" Receipts during fiscal year	2,825 78
	" am't trans. from Gen'l F'd, under Sec. 2, Act 63, 1869	8,861 62
	" " " " Sec. 1, Act 118, 1869	15,000 00
	" " " " Sec. 2, Act 118, 1869	37,500 00
	" " " " Sec. 1, Act 121, 1869	70,000 00
	" " Military F'd, under Sec. 2, Act 63, 1869	88,138 88
		$254,803 47

STATE BUILDING FUND.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$26,672 71
	" Receipts during fiscal year	993 52
		$27,666 23

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Dr. PRIMARY SCHOOL DEPOSIT—Act 85, 1869.

1869. Nov. 30.	To am't refunded on redeemed bids	$185 00
	" balance	1,061 25
		$1,246 25

Dr. PRIMARY SCHOOL INTEREST DEPOSIT—Act 85, 1869.

1869. Nov. 30.	To am't paid on redeemed certificates, P. S. Deposit	$0 81
	" balance	1 71
		$2 52

Dr. SWAMP LAND DEPOSIT—Act 85, 1869.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$60 00
		$60 00

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PRIMARY SCHOOL DEPOSIT—ACT 85, 1869. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By cash received during fiscal year	$1,246 25
		$1,246 25

PRIMARY SCHOOL INTEREST DEPOSIT—ACT 85, 1869. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By cash received during fiscal year	$2 52
		$2 52

SWAMP LAND DEPOSIT—ACT 85, 1869. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By cash received during fiscal year	$60 00
		$60 00

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DR. STATE BUILDING DEPOSIT—ACT 85, 1869.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$50 00
		$50 00

DR. CONTINGENT FUND.

1869. Nov. 30.	To am't trans. to Gen'l Fund, under Act 23, 1869	$392 85
		$392 85

DR. INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT WARRANTS.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$3,558 75
		$3,558 75

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STATE BUILDING DEPOSIT—ACT 85, 1869. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By cash received during fiscal year	$50 00
		$50 00

CONTINGENT FUND. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$392 85
		$392 85

INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT WARRANTS. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$3,558 75
		$3,558 75

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Dr. LAND WARRANTS.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$1,602 56
		$1,602 56

Dr. LAND WARRANTS—Second Series.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$656 06
		$656 06

Dr. SWAMP LAND WARRANTS—Act 117, 1859, &c.

1869. Nov. 30.	To Warrants paid during fiscal year	$34,764 84
	" balance	645 99
		$35,410 88

Dr. SWAMP LAND WARRANTS—Third Series—Sec. 6, Act 76, 1867.

1869. Nov. 30.	To Warrants paid during fiscal year	$503,235 58
		$503,235 58

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LAND WARRANTS. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$1,602 56
		$1,602 56

LAND WARRANTS—SECOND SERIES. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$656 06
		$656 06

SWAMP LAND WARRANTS—ACT 117, 1859, &c. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$845 99
	" Warrants issued during fiscal year	34,564 84
		$35,410 83

SWAMP LAND WARRANTS—THIRD SERIES—SEC. 6, ACT 76, 1867. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By Warrants issued during fiscal year	$503,285 58
		$503,285 58

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Dr. MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$146 72
		$146 72

Dr. ST. JOSEPH VALLEY RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$55 00
		$55 00

Dr. MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

1869. Nov. 30.	To am't paid under Sec. 7, Act 42, 1846	$87 50
	" balance	1,859 52
		$1,947 02

Dr. OAKLAND AND OTTAWA RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$8 56
		$8 56

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MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	To balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$146 72
		$146 72

ST. JOSEPH VALLEY RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$55 00
		$55 00

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$1,947 02
		$1,947 02

OAKLAND AND OTTAWA RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

		Cr.
1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$8 58
		$8 58

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Dr. LIGHT HOUSE DEPOSIT.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$15 00
		$15 00

Dr. TREASURY NOTES.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance	$730 00
		$730 00

Dr. SUSPENSE ACCOUNT.

1869. Nov. 30.	To balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$33,001 31
		$33,001 31

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LIGHT HOUSE DEPOSIT. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$15 00
		$15 00

TREASURY NOTES. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance, Nov. 30, 1868	$730 00
		$730 00

SUSPENSE ACCOUNT. CR.

1869. Nov. 30.	By balance	$33,001 31
		$33,001 31

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STATEMENT

Of Sales of State Tax Lands, October 4th, 1869, under Sec. 124, Act 169, Laws of 1869.

COUNTIES.	Amount of Original Bids.	Minimum, October 4, 1869.	Amount Sold For.	Amount Chg'd County.	Amount Credited County.	Amount Unsold.	Purchased at Aud. Gen'ls Office.	Amount Withheld.
Allegan	$486 87	$971 61	$16 15	$465 04				$10 65
Alpena	382 48	719 01	23 02	128 57		$436 27		
Antrim	453 68	904 05	125 68	27 60		258 75		447 88
Barry	94 83	220 82	6 41	88 42				
Bay	494 60	988 90	45 74	4 43	$8 24	945 89		
Berrien	1,921 12	4,580 03	6 64	1,914 48				
Branch	294 74	578 62	17 17	220 83		105 57		
Calhoun	124 84	284 40	53 65	65 73	2 38			40 91
Cass	15 96	33 82	25	2 22		29 36		
Cheboygan	140 56	276 69				276 69		
Chippewa (no returns)								
Clinton	37 30	71 52	9 05	28 60				
Delta (no sales held)								
Eaton (none)								

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Emmet (none)								
Genesee (none)								
Grand Traverse	151 70	289 80	4 35	133 39				24 82
Gratiot	1,261 39	2,486 82	224 14	593 23	6 30	898 71	8 35	
Hillsdale	15 45	27 76	6 49	8 96				
Houghton	22 06	50 81				50 81		
Huron	1,297 08	2,511 63	27 25	1,269 83				
Ingham	285 11	585 04	78 20	197 98				15 62
Ionia	915 65	1,642 59	49 79	845 33				33 00
Iosco	106 15	219 25	4 68	103 01	27			
Isabella	618 27	1,190 30	39 18	161 00		767 10		
Jackson	606 22	1,329 58	33 90	579 28	59			
Kalamazoo	10 73	21 21	1 70	7 98		2 57		
Kent	153 88	368 05	31 30	126 39				2 55
Keweenaw	108 47	206 22				206 22		
Lapeer	165 90	359 40	82 42	115 98	1 45			
Leelanaw	1,581 23	3,168 33	18 36	1,513 70				90 85
Lenawee	131 36	257 00	20 92			178 11		57 97
Livingston	461 29	877 78	11 66	439 24		31 56		
Mackinac (no returns)								
Macomb	360 61	901 62	74 10	273 93			21 49	44 37
Manistee	613 00	1,150 65	284 95	398 65	37 73			15 93

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STATEMENT—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES.	Amount of Original Bids.	Minimum, October 4, 1869.	Amount Sold For.	Amount Chg'd County.	Amount Credited County.	Amount Unsold.	Purchased at Aud. Gen'ls Office.	Amount Withheld.
Manitou (no returns)								
Marquette	$262 41	$527 40				$527 40		
Mason	382 91	749 28	$29 55	$358 36				
Mecosta	2,012 70	3,982 08	78 59	1,898 54				$70 23
Menominee	190 00	375 56	14 20			361 36		
Midland	1,394 18	2,795 06	80 95	1,320 95	$5 68			31 55
Monroe	3,461 98	7,490 15	245 98	3,233 46	6 84			
Montcalm	672 02	1,325 19	46 68	628 50				
Muskegon	912 79	1,793 56	64 71	859 67	08			
Newaygo	812 61	1,592 06	42 25	358 91		757 27	23 20	3 30
Oakland	47 31	121 79	32	44 15				7 26
Oceana	892 30	1,765 16	148 04	378 89	11 34	792 52		
Ontonagon	1,470 92	2,948 53	43 35	227 79		2,381 60		
Ottawa	597 26	1,284 67	41 02	554 36		7 51		
Saginaw	3,177 17	6,191 94	221 40	2,965 52	5 65			7 15

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Sanilac	4,087 49	7,852 71	110 98	8,908 96				
Shiawassee	286 53	625 83	3 76	282 77				
St. Clair	51 31	92 04	5 00	11 43		63 30		
St. Joseph (none)								
Tuscola	5,022 63	9,671 81	26 50	1,559 56		6,436 50		19 99
Van Buren	91 56	219 04	1 08	90 48				
Washtenaw	1 39	2 42	50	89				
Wayne	4,042 56	8,833 90	94 19	3,926 32	11	45 88		25 58
	$43,133 01	$87,508 94	$2,596 60	$32,328 31	$86 61	$15,560 95	$53 04	$954 56

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STATEMENT

Of Sales of State Tax Lands at the Annual Tax Sales, October 4th, 1869.

COUNTIES.	Am't Offered.	Amount Above Minimum.	Amount Sold.	Redeemed or Discharged.	Withheld.	Unsold.
Allegan	$4,586 59		$665 22	$458 89		$3,462 48
Alpena	4,067 39		1,042 29		$62 97	2,962 13
Antrim	1,955 21		243 74		1,074 36	637 11
Barry	1,252 96		24 75	75 11		1,153 10
Bay	11,566 79		1,728 04	891 18	25 31	8,922 26
Berrien	4,904 84		501 65	111 20		4,291 99
Branch	379 89		9 01			370 88
Calhoun	469 25		38 32	2 50		428 43
Cass	774 77		110 61	1 96		662 20
Cheboygan	785 82		55 58		69 91	660 33
Chippewa (no returns)						
Clinton	1,684 29		16 86			1,667 43
Delta (no sales)						
Eaton	395 69					395 69
Emmet	3 80			1 43		2 37

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Genesee	397 68		111 18		98 75	187 75
Grand Traverse	2,284 27		143 55	18 06	60 25	2,062 41
Gratiot	3,584 03		949 56	120 75	6 11	2,507 61
Hillsdale	115 90		115 90			
Houghton	22,265 85		1,236 09		101 20	20,928 56
Huron	7,519 19		232 58	78 52	60 98	7,147 11
Ingham	252 54					252 54
Ionia	887 51		102 32		40 90	744 29
Iosco	2,516 48		332 33		43 99	2,140 16
Isabella	10,338 43		243 93			10,094 50
Jackson	1,250 54		154 63			1,095 91
Kalamazoo	305 37		2 48	36 94	23 24	242 71
Kent	944 98		246 51	171 28	13 16	514 03
Keweenaw	6,717 81		493 13	1,788 65		4,436 03
Lapeer	2,140 75		127 92	128 94		1,883 89
Leelanaw	1,452 80		370 95	191 59	93 97	796 29
Lenawee	988 39		3 68		37 74	946 97
Livingston	980 77		85 91			894 86
Mackinac (no returns)						
Macomb	604 21		156 28	26 18	331 00	90 75
Manistee	4,583 76		1,014 43	624 65	191 97	2,702 71
Manitou (no returns)						

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COUNTIES.	Am't Offered.	Amount Above Minimum.	Amount Sold.	Redeemed or Discharged.	Withheld.	Unsold.
Marquette	$7,899 89		$136 52	$8 01		$7,755 36
Mason	925 23	$6 64	217 23	8 55		706 09
Mecosta	8,579 30	73 37	1,304 84	298 26	$76 44	6,978 13
Menominee	2,104 51		208 24			1,896 27
Midland	20,053 00		2,711 89	1,682 15	2,954 95	12,704 01
Monroe	12,465 17		1,444 82	571 82	177 21	10,271 32
Montcalm	4,900 78		799 63	354 39	55 38	3,691 38
Muskegon	5,947 34		1,057 50		73 58	4,816 26
Newaygo	6,157 40	10	584 47	458 65	34 69	5,084 69
Oakland	632 26		45 22		350 22	236 82
Oceana	6,675 79	2 07	1,048 70		276 65	5,352 51
Ontonagon	28,244 44		684 46		184 73	27,375 25
Ottawa	2,914 74		416 70	274 78	49 33	2,173 93
Saginaw	41,698 75		1,880 81	6,378 79	228 77	33,210 38
Sanilac	21,739 19		1,256 06	5 43	669 42	19,808 28
Shiawassee	2,063 83		20 96			2,042 87

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St. Clair	4,956 35	.....	1,025 04	337 91	.....	3,593 40
St. Joseph	870 16	.....	.....	652 51	.....	217 65
Tuscola	22,688 23	.....	547 06	527 14	13 91	21,600 12
Van Buren	3,247 01	.....	120 57	850 69	.....	2,275 75
Washtenaw	130 37	.....	32 51	.....	18 34	79 52
Wayne	18,150 81	.....	1,481 14	1,092 60	5 46	15,571 61
	$325,958 05	$82 18	$27,588 75	$18,219 51	$7,504 89	$272,727 08

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STATEMENT

Of Tax Sales, Oct. 4th, 1869, for Taxes of 1868, and Unsold Descriptions of Previous Years.

COUNTIES.	Amount Advertised.	Paid Co. Treas'rs before sale.	Amount Sold.	Bids to the State.	Paid or Dischg'd at A. G. Office.
Allegan	$10,388 76	$3,381 40	$3,483 67	$3,318 13	$205 56
Alpena	11,215 67	1,225 20	2,709 64	6,335 88	944 95
Antrim	1,149 29	35 49	164 98	699 77	249 05
Barry	4,358 64	1,235 92	2,499 56	446 32	176 84
Bay	29,658 35	12,087 97	2,480 70	14,361 49	728 19
Berrien	4,084 23	1,168 38	1,432 52	1,347 59	135 74
Branch	1,808 66	334 44	799 77	635 61	33 84
Calhoun	1,264 49	240 83	989 56	15 54	68 56
Cass	858 17	309 54	329 46	215 12	4 05
Cheboygan	2,626 35	115 99	203 58	1,224 85	1,081 93
Chippewa (no returns)	----------	----------	----------	----------	----------
Clinton	6,570 24	1,354 66	3,713 63	1,203 28	298 67
Delta (no sales)	----------	----------	----------	----------	----------
Eaton	3,159 25	751 60	1,633 60	476 33	297 72
Emmet (no sales)	----------	----------	----------	----------	----------
Genesee	12,743 83	2,843 54	8,694 25	976 48	229 56
Grand Traverse	3,242 72	522 44	834 77	1,379 67	505 84
Gratiot	12,278 68	2,060 92	7,632 11	1,733 70	801 95
Hillsdale	1,491 84	151 99	1,069 73	241 64	28 48
Houghton	12,283 85	4,653 70	1,264 73	5,715 83	649 59
Huron	4,336 73	515 65	309 70	2,612 30	899 08
Ingham	7,213 09	870 03	5,244 08	553 11	545 87
Ionia	3,368 36	854 72	2,201 73	200 98	110 93
Iosco	10,926 93	1,465 93	746 98	7,718 60	995 42
Isabella	10,685 25	375 79	1,511 22	8,008 25	789 99
Jackson	4,940 60	931 51	1,026 55	299 81	2,682 73
Kalamazoo	1,006 61	145 34	476 75	326 59	57 93
Kent	15,921 70	4,357 80	9,551 32	1,290 83	721 75
Keweenaw	7,155 87	3,687 49	618 84	2,570 58	278 96
Lapeer	6,730 30	1,344 19	3,820 81	1,433 29	132 01
Leelanaw	1,507 13	225 01	733 11	483 98	65 03
Lenawee	10,200 06	1,669 23	3,892 76	4,195 91	442 16

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COUNTIES.	Amount Advertised.	Paid Co. Treas'rs before sale.	Amount Sold.	Bids to the State.	Paid or Dischg'd at A. G. Office.
Livingston	$895 28	$150 11	$694 43	$23 11	$27 63
Mackinac (no returns)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Macomb	2,280 73	796 85	1,028 90	75 00	379 98
Manistee	4,974 34	1,540 04	753 86	2,492 41	188 03
Manitou (no returns)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marquette	4,583 28	484 15	762 85	3,023 04	313 24
Mason	1,395 23	197 44	289 98	591 15	316 66
Mecosta	10,335 32	881 87	1,896 73	6,315 15	1,241 57
Menominee	2,289 97	67 29	116 72	2,090 82	15 14
Midland	31,527 63	3,849 90	2,644 17	23,988 16	1,045 40
Monroe	26,747 06	1,765 22	4,397 95	18,610 87	1,973 02
Montcalm	10,012 53	3,280 23	3,287 34	2,862 86	582 10
Muskegon	10,968 83	3,326 06	4,947 88	2,347 01	347 88
Newaygo	9,916 14	1,571 54	1,115 23	5,596 28	1,633 09
Oakland	1,938 38	445 09	1,305 45	129 25	58 59
Oceana	7,654 51	1,932 64	1,690 65	3,627 39	403 83
Ontonagon	12,241 64	1,805 05	1,577 85	8,277 78	580 96
Ottawa	13,090 02	5,080 40	5,797 76	1,887 52	324 34
Saginaw	64,192 74	23,150 07	7,674 60	30,468 46	2,899 61
Sanilac	14,211 27	1,857 95	1,427 76	10,073 61	851 95
Shiawassee	21,585 96	3,502 12	8,194 86	8,709 03	1,129 95
St. Clair	11,132 20	1,209 85	7,620 60	2,002 70	299 05
St. Joseph	928 97	466 96	386 18	.....	75 83
Tuscola	17,147 95	3,178 44	2,247 09	11,385 09	337 33
Van Buren	4,605 04	1,308 59	1,888 26	1,331 94	76 25
Washtenaw	2,332 71	381 76	1,369 44	111 94	469 57
Wayne	17,144 41	3,656 29	4,863 05	8,308 46	316 61
	$507,252 79	$114,802 61	$138,089 70	$224,350 49	$30,059 99

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STATEMENT

Of Delinquent Taxes of 1868, Returned to Auditor General's Office, and of Balance due to and from the several Counties, Nov. 30, 1869.

COUNTIES.	1868. Taxes Return'd	Dr. Nov. 30, 1869.	Cr. Nov. 30, 1869.
Allegan	$14,871 86	$23,510 20	
Alcona		183 79	
Alpena	21,090 18		$9,553 98
Antrim	4,089 60		1,596 12
Barry	5,456 96		1,464 77
Bay	49,192 18		24,227 64
Benzie		166 49	
Berrien	4,689 33	2,611 62	
Branch	2,048 61		790 80
Calhoun	1,941 08		440 00
Cass	1,129 31	37 71	
Cheboygan	4,385 43		2,085 56
Chippewa	1,525 25		486 29
Clinton	8,290 49	4,681 09	
Delta	660 63		2,386 39
Eaton	5,510 68		88 17
Emmet	129 37	199 45	
Genesee	17,575 65	10,998 08	
Grand Traverse	5,223 94		524 43
Gratiot	14,515 35		5,087 12
Hillsdale	1,968 13	1,855 69	
Houghton	20,157 02	986 10	
Huron	7,223 05	977 33	
Ingham	10,340 86	2,867 74	
Ionia	5,287 98	5,180 46	
Iosco	16,347 79		10,209 08
Isabella	17,682 02		19,114 71
Jackson	4,877 20	14,695 64	
Kalamazoo	1,750 17	399 33	
Kent	19,004 62	11,405 44	
Keweenaw	6,842 33	18,366 26	
Lapeer	11,500 25	7,044 38	

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COUNTIES.	1868. Taxes Return'd	DR. Nov. 30, 1869.	CR. Nov. 30, 1869.
Leelanaw	$1,588 94		$1,308 62
Lenawee	11,439 41	$5,168 01	
Livingston	1,418 31	5,163 56	
Mackinac	2,279 46		2,161 74
Macomb	4,088 02	7,388 42	
Manistee	7,419 32		5,552 79
Manitou	461 96		448 03
Marquette	6,043 75		7,060 11
Mason	4,961 81		1,567 33
Mecosta	31,487 27		13,376 85
Menominee	3,392 91		1,769 48
Midland	56,907 88		38,527 19
Monroe	27,098 86	147 05	
Montcalm	16,682 49		7,111 42
Muskegon	9,471 68	6,794 33	
Newaygo	17,072 56		12,757 46
Oakland	2,079 40	73 65	
Oceana	12,641 52		10,101 64
Ontonagon	13,002 58		33,215 80
Osceola		887 94	
Ottawa	14,688 48	17,582 15	
Saginaw	81,914 86		40,374 79
Sanilac	23,187 10		29,836 94
Shiawassee	16,742 93	9,300 36	
St. Clair	12,544 94	9,373 77	
St. Joseph	1,087 97	1,523 87	
Tuscola	22,920 97		39,042 48
Van Buren	6,317 50	230 96	
Washtenaw	2,170 49	1,540 40	
Wayne	18,320 11	3,931 59	
Wexford		193 41	
	$714,520 70	$175,411 27	$322,217 62

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STATEMENT

Of the Salaries of the State Officers, and other Officers provided by law to be paid from General Fund, showing the appropriations for 1869, and the amount paid during last fiscal year.

	Appropriations.	Amounts Paid.
Governor, H. H. Crapo and H. P. Baldwin	$1,000 00	$1,750 00
Secretary of State, O. L. Spaulding	800 00	800 00
State Treasurer, E. O. Grosvenor	1,000 00	1,000 00
Auditor General, Wm. Humphrey	1,000 00	1,000 50
Commissioner of State Land Office, B. D. Pritchard	800 00	800 00
Superintendent of Public Instruction, O. Hosford	1,000 00	1,166 65
State Librarian, H. A. Tenney	700 00	691 63
Adjutant General, John Robertson (balance of 1868 salary)	.....	200 00
Q. M. General, Friend Palmer, ($50 balance of 1868 salary, $50 erroneously paid out of Gen'l Fund; corrected by trans.)	.....	100 00
Attorney General, W. L. Stoughton and D. May	800 00	999 99
Inspector General, R. A. Alger (for 1868)	125 00	125 00
Officers, Asylum for Insane	5,800 00	5,550 00
Commissioner on Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institution	800 00	800 00
Governor's Private Secretary, Cobb and Russell	700 00	1,125 00
Secretary State Board of Agriculture, Howard	1,000 00	916 63
Deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction	1,200 00	1,100 00
Deputy Secretary of State and regular Clerk	2,200 00	1,875 00
Deputy State Treasurer and Book-keeper	2,400 00	2,400 01
Deputy Aud. Gen'l, Book-keeper and four principal Clerks	6,400 00	6,383 34
Deputy Land Commissioner and Book-keeper	2,200 00	2,183 27
Clerk to Attorney General	1,000 00	1,116 66
	$30,925 00	$32,083 68

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STATEMENT

Of the Expenses of the Judiciary.

Chief Justice, T. M. Cooley	$2,083 32
Associate Justice, J. V. Campbell	2,500 00
" " I. P. Christiancy	2,500 00
" " B. F. Graves	2,500 00
F. Johnson, Judge 1st Circuit	1,500 00
N. Bacon, " 2d "	1,412 50
Brown and Patchin, Judge 3d Circuit	1,500 00
E. Lawrence, Judge 4th Circuit	1,500 00
G. Woodruff, " 5th "	1,625 00
J. S. Dewey, " 6th "	1,500 00
J. Turner, " 7th "	1,500 00
L. S. Lovell, " 8th "	1,625 00
Littlejohn and Brown, Judge 9th Circuit	1,500 00
J. G. Sutherland, Judge 10th Circuit	1,500 00
D. Goodwin, Judge 11th Circuit	1,500 00
Eddie and O'Grady, Judge 12th Circuit	670 84
J. G. Ramsdell, Judge 13th Circuit	1,500 00
M. B. Hopkins, " 14th "	1,500 00
Charles Upson, " 15th "	625 00
G. H. Swift, Recorder City of Detroit	1,500 00
A. E. Chadwick, Recorder City of Port Huron	100 00
Wm. Jennison, Reporter Supreme Court	800 00
Sheriffs' Fees, Rent, Advertising, &c.	2,195 90
Publishing Reports, Vols. 16, 17 and 18	3,047 24
	$38,184 80

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STATEMENT

Of Amounts Paid on General Fund Appropriations.

For	State Reform School, Acts 100 and 195, of 1867, and 108, of 1869	$56,025 58
"	State Agricultural College, Act 58, of 1869	45,000 00
"	State Library, Act 116, of 1869	350 00
"	Incidental Expenses of Legislature of 1869, Act 89, of 1869	4,485 79
"	Constitutional Convention of 1867, publishing—J. R. 3, 1869	1,880 00
"	Teachers' Institutes, Act 239, of 1861	1,800 00
"	Legislature of 1869	49,988 20
"	Normal School Building, Act 123, of 1869	2,500 00
"	Repairing State Prison, Act 120, of 1869	2,600 00
"	Reporting case in Supreme Court, J. R. 23, of 1869	162 00
"	Insurance on State Library, Act 22, of 1869	500 00
"	Geological Survey, Act 65, of 1869	8,000 00
"	Indexing Legislative Journals, &c., C. R. 6, of 1869	1,000 00
"	Antietam National Cemetery, Act 22, of 1867	3,045 80
"	Immigration Agency, Act 112, of 1869	5,000 00
		$181,737 82

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STATEMENT

Of General Fund Receipts (not enumerated elsewhere.)

Sale of Michigan Reports, Vol. 5	$232 35	
" " " 6	35 00	
" " " 7	133 35	
" " " 8	50 00	
" " " 9	50 00	
" " " 10	85 72	
" " " 11	50 00	
" " " 12	130 00	
" " " 16	800 00	$1,566 42
Amount refunded by Gratiot County, under Act 29, of 1859		1,500 00
Session Laws, sale of		6 25
Compiled Laws, sale of		150 25
Peddlers' Licenses		406 06
Interest on funds deposited		38,382 47
Interest on County Orders of Gratiot County, under Act 29, of 1859		1,036 87
Int. on over due Specific Tax—Corlies & Thunder Bay R. W. Co.	$3 50	
" " " Detroit and Milwaukee R. R. Co.	74 30	
" " " Grand Rapids and Indiana "	81 50	
" " " Bay City and E. Saginaw "	10 56	
" " " Flint and P. Marquette "	309 74	
" " " Copper Falls Mining Co.	59 26	
" " " Ogima Mining Co.	6 69	495 55
Interest from Ontonagon County Treasurer, on Tax Sales of 1868		96 59
Surplus Books and Documents		8 20
Old stove sold		8 00
		$43,656 66

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STATEMENT

Showing Specific Taxes collected during the year, and Corporations paying the same.

RAILROAD COMPANIES.

TITLE.	When Due.	Paid.	Unpaid.
Michigan Central	Last week in Jan.	$79,024 40	
Michigan Southern	"	35,544 30	
Erie and Kalamazoo	"	3,308 94	
St. Joseph Valley { tax of 1868, $1,709 00; " 1869, 1,709 00	"		$3,418 00
Amboy, Lansing and Traverse Bay	July 1st.		* 6,541 35
Chicago, Detroit & Canada Gr'd Tr'k Junction	"	10,747 36	
Detroit, Monroe and Toledo	"	4,141 00	
Detroit & Milwaukee { bal. of tax, 1868, $2,502 02; tax, 1869, 25,473 50	"	27,975 52	
Flint and Pere Marquette (including Flint & Holly)	"	10,986 00	
Hecla and Torch Lake	"	791 67	
Jackson, Lansing and Saginaw	"		†6,909 54
Kalamazoo and Schoolcraft (tax of 1869)	"		‡800 00
Kalamazoo, Allegan and Grand Rapids	"	198 37	
Bay de Noquet and Marquette (tax of 1868 and '69)	"		16,000 00
Schoolcraft and Three Rivers (tax of 1869)	"		‡900 00
Paw Paw	"	150 00	
Grand Rapids and Indiana	"	2,160 00	‡65 15
Bay City and East Saginaw	"	375 51	
Marquette and Ontonagon (tax of 1869)	"		3,500 00
Bay City and Portsmouth, Street	1st Monday in July.		120 00
Corlies and Thunder Bay { tax of 1868, $50 00; " 1869, 50 00	"	100 00	
Detroit City Street	"	214 93	
East Saginaw City Street	"	3 00	
Fort Street and Elmwood	"	500 00	
Grand River Street (Detroit)	"	107 45	
Grand Rapids Street	"	76 50	
Port Huron and Gratiot Street	"	87 75	
Saginaw Street	"		300 00
		$176,487 70	$38,554 04

* $5,233 08 paid since close of fiscal year.
† $5,154 65 paid since close of fiscal year.
‡ Paid since close of fiscal year.

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NATIONAL BANKS.

TITLE.	When Due.	Paid.	Unpaid.
Detroit, First National Bank of	Ap'l & Oct., 1868.	$1,000 00	
Marquette, First National Bank of	Oct., 1867, & Ap'l & Oct., 1868.	1,865 00	
		$2,865 00	

STATE BANKS.

Jackson City Bank	2d M. Jan.	$900 00	
		$900 00	

TELEGRAPH COMPANIES.

Superior Mineral Range	March.	$75 00	
Western Union	"	972 86	
Northwestern	"	111 61	
Atlantic and Pacific	"	58	
		$1,160 00	

EXPRESS COMPANIES.

United States	March.	$156 64	
American	"	699 95	
Canadian	"	77 59	
Fargo	"	12 10	
Detroit and St. Clair	"	37 60	
		$983 88	

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INSURANCE COMPANIES.

TITLE.	When Due.	Paid.	Unpaid.
Ætna, New York	February.	$16 25	.....
" Hartford, Conn	"	2,232 82	.....
" Life, Hartford, Conn	"	2,511 74	.....
Agricultural, Watertown, New York	"	100 56	.....
Albany City, Albany, New York	"	645 40	.....
American Life, Philadelphia	"	3 75	.....
" Tontine Life and Savings, New York	"	13 78	.....
" Providence, R. I.	"	13 09	.....
" Popular Life, New York	"	10 36	.....
" Exchange Fire, "	"	63 26	.....
Anchor Life (for. U. S. Casualty) Jersey City, N. J.	"	4 23	.....
Astor Fire, New York	"	76 49	.....
Atlantic Fire, Brooklyn, N. Y.	"	77 24	.....
" Mutual Life, Albany, N. Y.	"	447 30	.....
" Fire and Marine, Providence, R. I.	"	61 04	.....
Aurora Fire, Covington, Ky.	"	7 49	.....
Baltic Fire, New York	"	68 15	.....
Berkshire Life, Pittsfield, Mass.	"	49 53	.....
Brooklyn Life, Brooklyn, N. Y.	"	15 50	.....
Buckeye, Cleveland, Ohio	"	133 54	.....
Buffalo Germania, Buffalo, N. Y.	"	37 63	.....
Buffalo City, Buffalo, N. Y.	"	78 51	.....
Capital City, Albany, N. Y.	"	30 37	.....
Charter Oak Life, Hartford, Conn	"	769 63	.....
" " Fire, " "	"	178 68	.....
Cincinnati Mutual Life, Cincinnati, Ohio	"	4 18	.....
Citizens, New York City	"	271 15	.....
City Fire, Hartford, Conn	"	436 47	.....
Cleveland, Cleveland, Ohio	"	297 43	.....
Commerce, Albany, N. Y.	"	423 42	.....
" New York	"	68 05	.....
" Mutual, Cleveland, Ohio	"	401 81	.....
Commonwealth Fire, Brooklyn, N. Y.	"	157 50	.....

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INSURANCE COMPANIES.

TITLE.	When Due.	Paid.	Unpaid.
Connecticut Fire, Hartford, Conn.	February.	$154 11	.....
" General Life, Hartford, Conn.	"	22 00	.....
" Mutual " " "	"	9,249 79	.....
Continental Life, Hartford, Conn.	"	402 85	.....
" New York	"	598 32	.....
" Life, New York	"	281 02	.....
Corn Exchange, New York City	"	181 49	.....
Economical Mutual Life, Providence, R. I.	"	27 95	.....
Enterprise, Cincinnati, Ohio	"	1,020 08	.....
Equitable Life Assurance, New York	"	131 79	.....
Excelsior Life, New York	"	3 89	.....
" Fire, "	"	105 67	.....
Firemens', New York	"	29 97	.....
First National Eclectic Assurance of U. S., N. Y.	"	13 96	.....
Fulton Fire	"	150 84	.....
Germania Life, New York City	"	515 26	.....
Glens' Falls, New York	"	194 92	.....
Globe Mutual Life, New York City	"	90 52	.....
Great Western Life, " "	"	50 78	.....
Guardian Mutual Life, " "	"	1,328 78	.....
Hahneman Life, Cleveland, Ohio	"	185 64	.....
Hartford Life and Annuity, Hartford, Conn.	"	24 62	.....
Hartford Fire	"	2,114 95	.....
Hide and Leather, Boston	"	12 94	.....
Home Mutual Life, Cincinnati, Ohio	"	201 46	.....
" New Haven, Conn.	"	1,511 72	.....
" New York City	"	5,468 20	.....
" Life, Brooklyn, N. Y.	"	32 81	.....
Hope, Providence, R. I.	"	137 76	.....
Howard, New York	"	376 04	.....
Insurance Company of America, Philadelphia	"	2,310 74	.....
International, New York City	"	714 13	.....
Irving Fire, New York	"	826 85	.....

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INSURANCE COMPANIES.

TITLE.	When Due.	Paid.	Unpaid.
Knickerbocker Life, New York City	February.	$75 27	.....
Lamar Fire, New York City	"	113 66	.....
Liverpool, London and Globe, New York City	"	495 76	.....
Lorillard Fire, New York City	"	1,391 87	.....
Lumbermans', Chicago, Ill	"	834 31	.....
Manhattan, New York City	"	1,159 55	.....
Manhattan Life, New York City	"	106 77	.....
Market Fire, New York City	"	156 38	.....
Massachusetts Mutual Life, Springfield	"	249 51	.....
Mercantile Fire, New York City	"	148 12	.....
Merchants', Chicago, Ill	"	409 96	.....
" Hartford, Conn	"	782 25	.....
" Providence, R. I	"	107 28	.....
Mutual, Buffalo, N. Y	"	119 19	.....
" Benefit Life, Newark, New Jersey	"	2,383 91	.....
" Life	"	4,212 56	.....
" " Chicago	"	427 34	.....
Naragansett Fire and Marine	"	52 23	.....
National, Boston, Mass	"	122 28	.....
" Life, Washington	"	132 54	.....
" " New York City	"	22 69	.....
New Jersey Mutual Life, Newark	"	92 20	.....
New England Mutual Life, Boston, Mass	"	1,149 05	.....
New York Central, Union Springs, N. Y	"	410 43	.....
" Life	"	3,658 72	.....
North American Fire, Hartford, Conn	"	413 32	.....
" " " New York	"	600 78	.....
" " Life, " City	"	423 19	.....
Northwestern Mutual Life, Milwaukee, Wis	"	3,818 32	.....
Norwich Fire, Norwich, Conn	"	54 11	.....
Pacific, San Francisco	"	23 43	.....
Phœnix, Brooklyn, N. Y	"	1,063 95	.....
Phœnix Mutual Life	"	841 80	.....

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STATEMENT—CONTINUED.

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

TITLE.	When Due.	Paid.	Unpaid.
Phœnix, Hartford, Conn.	February.	$1,643 37	.....
Providence Washington, Providence, R. I.	"	90 58	.....
Putnam, Hartford, Conn.	"	1,028 81	.....
Railway Passenger, Hartford, Conn.	"	116 93	.....
Relief Fire, New York City	"	60 56	.....
Republic, Chicago	"	968 46	.....
Rock River, Beloit, Wis.	"	24 00	.....
Roger Williams	"	25 73	.....
Schenectady	"	13 03	.....
Security, New York City	"	2,437 56	.....
Security Life and Annuity, New York City	"	133 04	.....
Springfield Fire and Marine, Springfield, Mass.	"	455 60	.....
Standard Fire, New York City	"	108 65	.....
State Fire, Cleveland, Ohio	"	258 24	.....
Sun, Cleveland, Ohio	"	21 12	.....
Teutonia, Cleveland, Ohio	"	159 58	.....
Tradesman's Fire	"	30 48	.....
Travelers', Hartford, Conn.	"	560 09	.....
Underwriters' Agency, New York	"	2,572 13	.....
Union Mutual Life, Augusta, Me.	"	596 76	.....
United States Fire and Marine, Baltimore, Md.	"	63 36	.....
United States Life, New York City	"	154 97	.....
U. S. Branch of Imperial Fire, London	"	109 40	.....
U. S. Branch of Queen, Liverpool and London	"	81 31	.....
U. S. Branch of N. British and Mercantile, N. Y.	"	178 06	.....
Universal Life, New York City	"	67 10	.....
Washington Life, New York	"	94 29	.....
" New York City	"	117 56	.....
Watertown Fire, New York	"	7 10	.....
Western, Buffalo, N. Y.	"	277 96	.....
Winnesheik, Illinois	"	257 01	.....
World Mutual Life, New York	"	11 49	.....
Yonkers and New York Fire, Yonkers, N. Y.	"	302 43	.....
		$77,207 04	

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MINING COMPANIES.

Date to Which Tax is Computed.	TITLE.	When Due.	Paid.	Unpaid.
1868. Dec. 31.	Albany and Boston	July.	$87 95	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Ætna	"	1 26	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Amygdaloid	"	46 01	.....
1867. Dec. 31.	Bay State	"	.....	$42 79
1868. Dec. 31.	Calumet	"	427 01	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Central	"	514 07	.....
1867. Dec. 31.	Concord	"	19 51	.....
1868. July 1.	Copper Falls	"	846 56	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	" "	"	179 77	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Devon	"	50	.....
1868. July 1.	Eagle River	"	.....	3 14
1868. Dec. 31.	Franklin	"	550 99	.....
1868. July 1.	Hancock	"	320 25	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	"	"	60 00	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Hecla	"	895 87	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Huron Copper	"	555 08	.....
1867. Dec. 31.	Mass	"	3 77	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Minnesota	"	86 58	.....
1867. Dec. 31.	North Cliff	"	509 85	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	"	"	515 21	.....
1868. July 1.	Ogima	"	74 76	.....
1867. Dec. 31.	Pennsylvania	"	.....	122 50
1868. July 1.	Petherick	"	.....	4 50
1868. Dec. 31.	Pewabic	"	391 31	.....
1867. Dec. 31.	Pittsburgh and Boston	"	1,109 05	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	" "	"	1,109 05	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Phœnix Copper	"	97 50	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Quincy	"	545 62	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Ridge Copper	"	64 50	.....
1867. Dec. 31.	Rockland	"	26 40	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	"	"	36 94	.....
1868. July 1.	St. Clair	"	.....	49 00

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MINING COMPANIES.

Date to Which Tax is Computed.	TITLE.	When Due.	Paid.	Unpaid.
1868. Dec. 31.	South Pewabic	July.	$313 24	.....
1867. Dec. 31.	Superior	"	13 65	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	"	"	21 00	.....
1868. Dec. 31.	Victoria	"	3 68	.....
			$9,426 89	$221 93

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NON-PRODUCING MINING COMPANIES WHICH HAVE FILED REPORTS, AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

Adams.	Humboldt Copper.	Pontiac.
Allouez.	Hungarian Copper.	Resolute.
Atlas.	Indiana.	Rhode Island.
Bay City Iron.	Kearsage.	Seneca.
Carp River.	Knickerbocker.	Silver Creek.
Copper Harbor Copper.	Madison.	Shirley.
Dacotah.	Manhattan.	South Side.
Dana.	Mandan.	Star Copper.
Dudley.	Meadow.	St. Louis Copper.
Eagle River.	Medora.	St. Mary's Copper.
Edwards Copper.	Mesnard.	Torch Lake.
Empire Copper.	Naumkeag.	Tremont.
Flint Steel River.	New England.	True.
Girard.	Noble Copper.	Union Copper Land.
Glade.	Northwestern.	Vulcan.
Great Western.	Ontonagon.	Washington Copper.
Hanover.	Ossipee.	West Minnesota.
Highland Copper.	Petherick.	Winthrop.
Hulbert.		

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STATEMENT

Of the Apportionment of State Taxes for the year 1869.

COUNTIES.	Aggregate of Real & Personal Estate as equalized by State Board of Equalization for 1866.	Act No. 122, 1861. ⅛ Mill Tax.	Act No. 16, 1862. Milit'y F'd.	Act No. 14, 1869. University Aid.	Act No. 121, 1869. Institution. for D., D. & B.	Act No. 74, 1869. General Purposes.	Total State Tax for 1869, $465,264 97.
Allegan	$5,941,781 66	$742 72	$652 19	$289 40	$1,350 56	$5,941 78	$8,976 65
Alpena	1,747,848 32	218 48	191 85	85 13	397 28	1,747 85	2,640 59
Antrim	564,428 32	70 56	61 95	27 49	128 29	564 43	852 72
Barry	3,387,808 32	423 47	371 85	165 01	770 04	3,387 81	5,118 18
Bay	2,501,988 32	312 74	274 62	121 86	568 70	2,501 98	3,779 90
Berrien	8,101,461 66	1,012 68	889 24	394 60	1,841 45	8,101 46	12,239 43
Branch	6,999,978 32	875 00	768 34	340 95	1,591 08	6,999 97	10,575 34
Calhoun	12,358,668 32	1,544 82	1,356 58	601 95	2,809 10	12,358 67	18,671 07
Cass	7,079,051 66	884 88	777 02	344 80	1,609 05	7,079 05	10,694 80
Cheboygan	152,861 66	19 12	16 78	7 45	34 75	152 86	230 96
Chippewa	168,455 00	21 06	18 56	8 20	38 29	168 45	254 56
Clinton	4,197,218 32	524 66	460 70	204 43	954 02	4,197 22	6,341 03

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Delta	256,650 00	32 09	28 17	12 50	58 34	256 65	387 75
Eaton	4,467,860 00	558 49	490 40	217 62	1,015 54	4,467 86	6,749 91
Emmet	116,771 66	14 60	12 81	5 69	26 54	116 77	176 41
Genesee	7,746,278 32	968 28	850 26	377 30	1,760 71	7,746 28	11,702 88
Grand Traverse	699,101 66	87 39	76 73	34 05	158 90	699 10	1,056 17
Gratiot	1,634,745 00	204 34	179 53	79 62	371 58	1,634 75	2,469 82
Hillsdale	9,003,886 66	1,125 48	988 29	438 55	2,046 57	9,003 89	13,602 78
Houghton	3,242,523 32	405 32	355 91	157 93	737 02	3,242 52	4,898 70
Huron	1,310,776 66	163 84	143 87	63 84	297 94	1,310 78	1,980 27
Ingham	4,469,960 00	558 74	490 64	217 72	1,016 01	4,469 96	6,753 07
Ionia	6,807,948 32	850 99	747 26	331 59	1,547 43	6,807 95	10,285 22
Iosco	1,144,123 32	143 02	125 58	55 73	260 06	1,144 12	1,728 51
Isabella	1,071,825 00	133 99	117 65	52 21	243 62	1,071 83	1,619 30
Jackson	12,718,571 66	1,589 82	1,396 03	619 48	2,890 90	12,718 57	19,214 80
Kalamazoo	9,976,346 66	1,247 04	1,095 04	485 92	2,267 60	9,976 35	15,071 95
Kent	11,883,645 00	1,485 46	1,304 39	578 81	2,701 13	11,883 65	17,953 44
Keweenaw	2,512,173 32	314 03	275 74	122 36	571 01	2,512 17	3,795 31
Lapeer	4,715,731 66	589 46	517 61	229 69	1,071 88	4,715 73	7,124 37
Leelanaw	330,611 66	41 32	36 29	16 10	75 15	330 61	499 47
Lenawee	17,559,243 32	2,194 90	1,927 36	855 25	3,991 18	17,559 24	26,527 93
Livingston	6,264,435 00	783 06	687 60	305 12	1,423 89	6,264 44	9,464 11
Mackinac	373,625 00	46 70	41 01	18 20	84 92	373 62	564 45

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STATEMENT—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES.	Aggregate of Real & Personal Estate as equalized by State Board of Equalization for 1866.	Act No. 122, 1861. ½ Mill Tax.	Act No. 16, 1862. Milit'y F'd.	Act No. 14, 1869. University Aid.	Act No. 121, 1869. Institution for D., D. & B.	Act No. 74, 1869. General Purposes.	Total State Tax for 1869, $465,264 97.
Macomb	$8,610,188 32	$1,076 27	$945 08	$419 37	$1,957 08	$8,610 18	$13,007 98
Manistee	813,258 32	101 66	89 26	39 61	184 85	813 26	1,228 64
Manitou	150,521 66	18 82	16 52	7 33	34 21	150 52	227 40
Marquette	2,247,405 00	280 93	246 68	109 46	510 88	2,247 41	3,395 31
Mason	485,975 00	60 74	53 34	23 67	110 46	485 97	734 19
Mecosta	1,213,475 00	151 68	133 19	59 10	275 82	1,213 48	1,833 27
Menominee	440,260 00	55 04	48 32	21 44	100 07	440 26	665 13
Midland	1,881,281 66	235 16	206 49	91 63	427 60	1,881 23	2,842 11
Monroe	6,901,801 66	862 72	757 56	336 16	1,568 76	6,901 80	10,427 00
Montcalm	2,040,836 66	255 10	224 01	99 40	463 88	2,040 84	3,083 23
Muskegon	2,643,106 66	330 38	290 11	128 74	600 77	2,643 11	3,993 11
Newaygo	1,580,441 66	197 56	173 47	76 98	359 23	1,580 44	2,387 68
Oakland	15,388,560 00	1,923 56	1,689 10	749 58	3,497 79	15,388 56	23,248 54
Oceana	964,340 00	120 54	105 85	46 97	219 19	964 34	1,456 89

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Ontonagon	1,421,885 00	177 68	156 01	69 23	323 08	1,421 89	2,147 89
Ottawa	3,503,193 82	437 90	384 52	170 63	796 27	3,503 19	5,292 51
Saginaw	8,459,291 66	1,057 42	928 52	412 02	1,922 78	8,459 29	12,780 08
Sanilac	2,478,403 32	309 80	272 04	120 72	563 34	2,478 40	3,744 30
Shiawassee	3,787,851 66	473 42	415 71	184 47	860 86	3,787 85	5,721 81
St. Clair	6,306,581 66	788 32	692 22	307 17	1,433 46	6,306 58	9,527 70
St. Joseph	9,229,741 66	1,153 72	1,013 09	449 55	2,097 90	9,229 74	13,944 00
Tuscola	2,422,453 32	302 80	265 89	117 99	550 62	2,422 45	3,659 75
Van Buren	4,926,238 32	615 78	540 71	239 94	1,119 72	4,926 24	7,442 39
Washtenaw	17,189,765 00	2,148 72	1,886 81	837 26	3,907 20	17,189 77	25,969 76
Wayne	41,371,718 32	5,171 46	4,541 10	2,015 08	9,403 70	41,371 72	62,508 06
	$307,965,842 92	$38,495 78	$33,803 46	$15,000 00	$70,000 00	$307,965 84	$465,264 97

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STATEMENT

Showing the transfers to, and payments from the Two Million Loan Sinking Fund for the year 1869, and citing the law under which the transfers and payments were made, and the condition of the Fund at the close of said year.

1869.	* Credit balance, Nov. 30, 1868	.....	$75,402 04
	By ⅛ Mill Tax, Sec. 4, Act 122, 1861	$38,495 78	
	" receipts from Educational Funds	†180,744 42	
	" am't trans. from Gen'l F'd (dis. on Renewal L. B'ds)	560 00	
	" discount on bonds purchased	1,389 41	
	Receipts for the year	.....	221,189 56
	Amount available during the year	.....	296,591 60
	To Two Million Loan Bonds purchased	72,000 00	
	" Renewal Loan Bonds purchased	8,000 00	
	" War Loan Bonds purchased	6,000 00	
	" War Bounty Loan Bonds purchased	15,000 00	
	" Am't transferred to War Loan Sinking Fund	76,490 09	177,490 09
	Credit bala:	.....	$119,101 51

* See Auditor General's Report for 1868, Statement "L."
† Brought from Statement "M."

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STATEMENT—(SUPPLEMENTAL TO STATEMENT L.)

Showing the Receipts to the Trust Funds for the year ending June 30, 1869, and the amount transferred to the Two Million Loan Sinking Fund.

Year.	Month.	Normal School.	University.	Primary.	Am't Trans. to 2,000,000 Loan Sinking Fund.
1868.	July	.....	.....	$11,649 85	
	August	.....	$62 20	9,008 06	
	September	$40 00	.....	11,578 98	
	October	.....	41 90	10,996 16	
	November	240 00	441 00	12,158 52	
	December	810 00	1,350 40	9,176 80	
1869.	January	.....	360 00	6,484 59	
	February	.....	1,327 13	7,545 15	
	March	897 85	738 30	29,932 07	
	April	120 00	1,547 64	6,285 15	
	May	247 38	90 00	3,666 89	
	June	.....	760 82	8,751 34	
		$1,855 23	$6,719 39	$172,169 80	*$180,744 42

* Transferred to Statement "L."

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STATEMENT

Showing the transfers to, the payments from, and the charges against the War Loan Sinking Fund for the fiscal year ending Nov. 30, 1869.

1869.	*Credit balance, Nov. 30, 1868	.....	$420,088 07
	By excess of Interest, Act 125, 1867, and Act 75, 1869†	$174,728 97	
	" 1-16 Mill Tax, Sec. 6, Act 5, Ex. Sess. 1861	19,247 87	
	" am't transferred from General Fund, J. R. 7, 1869	200,000 00	
	" " " Two Million Loan Sink'g F'd	76,490 09	470,461 98
	Amount available during year	.....	$890,500 00
	Deduct War Loan Bonds drawn April 1, 1869	$300,000 00	
	" " " October 1, 1869	590,500 00	890,500 00
	Which amounts exhaust and finally close the Fund.		

* See Auditor General's Report for 1868, Statement "N."
† Brought from Statement "O."

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STATEMENT—(SUPPLEMENTAL TO STATEMENT O.)

Exhibiting the receipts from Specific Taxes for the year 1869, the portion thereof used in the payment of the interest upon the Trust Funds for said year, and the amount applicable to the payment of interest on the State debt for the year above designated.

1869.	Am't of Sp. Taxes rec'd applicable to the pay't of Int.	.....	$259,108 62
	Interest on Primary School Fund	$108,894 88	
	" " Five per cent. Primary School Fund	10,259 09	
	" " Normal School Fund	2,782 80	
	" " University Fund	28,644 48	150,029 25
			$109,074 37
	Less am't of Specific Tax of 1868 refunded in 1869	.....	500 00
	* Surplus applicable to paym't of Int. on State debt	.....	$108,574 37

* Carried to Statement "O."

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STATEMENT—(SUPPLEMENTAL TO STATEMENT N.)

Showing the amount of Interest accruing on the Bonded State Debt to be paid out of Appropriations under Acts 125, 1867, and 75, 1869; the amount of said Appropriations, the payments to which they were applied, and the surplus, which, under said laws, was transferred to War Loan Sinking Fund.

* Balance of appropriation of 1867 for 1868 interest	.....	$121,460 00
Appropriations of 1869 for 1869 interest	.....	160,000 00
Total of appropriations for interest falling due in 1869	.....	$281,460 00
Interest on War Loan, January, 1869	$37,852 50	
" " July, 1869	30,687 90	
" Two Million Loan, January, 1869	52,140 00	
" " " July, 1869	50,370 00	
" War Bounty " May, 1869	16,205 00	
" " " November, 1869	16,205 00	
" Renewal Loan, January, 1869	6,000 00	
" " " July, 1869	5,850 00	
Total amount of interest falling due in 1869	$215,310 40	
† Less amount of Specific Tax applicable to paym't of Int.	108,574 37	
Amount of interest to be paid from appropriations	.....	106,736 03
Surplus of appropriations to War Loan Sinking Fund	.....	‡$174,723 97

* See Auditor General's Report for 1868, p. 31.

† See Statement "P."

‡ Carried to Statement "N."

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Abstract of Reports of National Banks in Michigan, for the year 1869.

RESOURCES.

	January 4. 42 Banks.	April 17. 41 Banks.	June 12. 41 Banks.	October 9. 41 Banks.
Loans and discounts	$8,222,002 08	$9,031,861 60	$8,968,054 03	$9,518,464 41
U. S. b'ds to secure circula'n	4,359,700 00	4,359,700 00	4,365,100 00	4,365,100 00
U. S. b'ds to secure deposits	450,000 00	450,000 00	450,000 00	350,000 00
U. S. b'ds & secur. on hand	172,900 00	117,650 00	98,800 00	78,500 00
Other st'k, b'ds & mortgages	286,029 64	154,150 88	167,143 23	160,312 82
Due from redeeming agents	1,140,011 64	1,251,860 46	1,119,063 35	1,385,666 15
Due from other Nat'nl B'ks	612,333 99	511,109 41	582,588 76	493,975 61
Due from other b'ks & b'kers	108,717 47	96,678 22	158,828 56	163,412 45
Real est., furniture & fixtures	313,579 58	379,156 17	379,506 10	410,504 48
Current expenses	43,018 48	95,202 68	135,466 80	107,665 94
Premiums	16,989 13	19,430 30	14,055 20	10,482 65
Checks and other cash items	313,538 15	238,437 57	277,095 74	292,926 40
Bills of National banks	223,954 00	188,843 00	140,359 00	130,367 00
Bills of State banks	4,316 00	----------	82 00	396 00
Specie	36,109 74	24,619 60	24,824 10	10,278 95
Leg'l ten'r notes & frac'l cur.	1,581,762 67	1,312,178 75	1,361,992 67	1,305,469 67
Three per cent. certificates	235,000 00	235,000 00	205,000 00	190,000 00
Total	$18,069,962 52	$18,465,878 64	$18,442,954 54	$18,973,522 53

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock	$5,260 010 00	$5,260,000 00	$5,260,000 00	$5,585,000 00
Surplus fund	1,213,054 37	1,095,322 30	1,117,268 46	1,291,063 81
Undivided profits	312,896 10	446,295 30	630,172 70	426,709 25
National b'k notes outst'dg	3,806,772 00	3,799,193 00	3,793,189 00	3,803,710 00
State b'k notes outstanding	1,992 00	1,074 00	1,073 00	1,070 00
Individual deposits	6,615,676 19	6,838,646 71	6,571,258 22	6,629,594 49
U. S. deposits	329,984 33	150,939 90	262,425 96	205,049 07
Deposits U. S. disb. officers	237,407 54	414,425 17	313,310 62	422,962 22
Due to National banks	194,017 89	224,600 42	192,765 67	254,034 21
Due to other b'ks & bankers	98,152 10	93,904 97	106,920 19	101,447 03
Notes and bills rediscounted	----------	141,476 37	191.575 72	244,804 45
Bills payable	----------	----------	3,000 00	8,078 00
Total	$18,069,962 52	$18,465,878 64	$18,442,954 54	$18,973,522 53

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